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NAPANEE, ONT., CANADA—FRIDAY

THE DOMINION BANK

SIR EDMUND B. OSLER, M.P., PRESIDENT. W. D. MATTHEWS, VICE-PRESIDENT.
C. A. BOGERT, General Manager.

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Rest and Undivided Profits... 7,248,134
Total Deposits.....59,256,044
Total Assets.....83,120,741

Savings Bank Department.

Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest at best current rate paid.
Farmers' Business Solicited and General Banking Business transacted.

Napanee Branch. E. R. CHECKLEY Mgr.

Yarker Branch. L. B. SHOREY, Mgr.

Library Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Napanee Public Library will be held at the Library on Monday evening.

JANUARY 11th, 1915,
at 7.30 p.m.

to receive annual reports, elect a board for the new year, and transact such other business as may legally come before such meeting.

CLARENCE M. WARNER,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Court of Revision

VOTERS' LISTS.

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to The Ontario Voters' Lists Act by His Honour, the Judge of the County Court of the County of Lennox and Addington, at the Court House, in the Town of Napanee, on TUESDAY, THE 19th DAY OF JANUARY, 1915, at 9 o'clock a.m. to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of the Town of Napanee for the year 1914.

WM. A. GRANGE,

Clerk of the Town of Napanee.

Dated Dec. 24th, 1914.

Cut Wood

For Sale

\$1.75 per Cord

Stove Lengths.

ROBT. LIGHT.

Napanee Poultry Show DESPERATE BATTLES WAGED IN ALSA

At a meeting of the members of the Napanee Poultry Association on Wednesday evening, preparations were completed for holding the largest and best Poultry Show in the history of Napanee. A report was received from the Secretary, Mr. G. B. Curran, who had visited Brockville, Smiths Falls and Peterboro Poultry Shows. Large entries will be made from each of these places, and it is confidently expected by the officers that Napanee will coop next week over 1500 birds. Entries have already been received from Toronto, Ottawa and dozens of other points in Eastern Ontario. If the citizens of Napanee support our Show it can in a year or two be built up to a rank only below Guelph and Ottawa.

MORE SILVER CUPS.

Napanee offers the best collection of Silver Sups in Ontario. Three more cups have been recently donated. One cup is for the highest scoring exhibition pen, any breed. Another is for the best pair of chickens shown by Rural School Children. All children who competed at the School Fairs held last fall are eligible to compete. The other cup is for the best Farmers Pen of 1914 Spring Chickens raised and shown by the Exhibitor. These cups must be won two years in succession.

CHICKEN KILLING DEMONSTRATION.

Many farmers last year missed seeing the expert kill and pluck a chicken in less than one minute. Demonstrations will be held Thursday at 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 8 p.m., and 9 p.m., and Friday at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. only. The expert will show farmers how to do the trick. Bring in a few chickens to be killed and learn how.

Mr. G. B. Curran offers \$5.00 in gold to any farmer who can kill and pluck a chicken in twice the time taken by the expert, or who can do one chicken while the expert is doing two. This competition will be held Thursday afternoon.

LECTURES.

Miss Mary Yeates, the popular lady poultry lecturer, who made so many friends among the farmers during her visit here two years ago, will be here again. She will lecture in the Town Hall at 2 p.m., Thursday afternoon and also 8 p.m. for an evening meeting. Don't fail to hear Miss Yeates. She will give a special demonstration to town ladies on how to truss a chicken for the table. Mr. T. C. Stuart, of the Poultry Branch, Ottawa, will also speak on Co-operation and the Marketing of Poultry.

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RED CROSS FUND.

The profits of the 1915 Poultry Show will be donated to the Red Cross Fund. Every citizen of Napanee and surrounding district is invited to visit the Poultry Show next week.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Lennox Agricultural Society will be held in the

COUNCIL CHAMBER,

—on—

Wednesday, Jan. 20th

1915, at 2 p. m. sharp

for election of officers and general business.

E. MING, V. S.

Sec'y-Treas.

NOTICE OF MEETING!

The County Council

of Lennox and Addington will meet at the Council Chambers in the Court House, Napanee, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26th,

1915, at 2 o'clock p.m.

All accounts must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than Wednesday, January 27th, in order that they may be considered.

W. G. WILSON,

County Clerk.

Dated Napanee, Jan. 5th, 1915.

rise to anything like so high as in the recent desperate fighting to the west and southwest of Warsaw.

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Miss Jennie Long spent the weekend with friends at Roblin.

There is to be no more wedding in this part till after the war is over.

WAGARVILLE.

School has re-opened with Edw. Armstrong as teacher.

The party at Thos. Cox's was decided success. Card playing and dancing was indulged in and a programme of music was rendered. Sleighing is excellent in this vicar and slab and pulp hauling is order of the day.

Visitors: C. M. Jackson, at F. Storms'; T. Wagar at Fifth La. Harvey Cronk spent Sunday at den; Damon Goodberry and brot Wellington, are at Titus Wagar's.

NEUBURGH.

Miss T. N. Currie, of Sommerich is visiting Miss Beth Wilson.

Some of the Christmas visit were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thompson and family, Miss Bird Madden, Miss Hope Aylesworth, Miss Alsie Mac, Miss Essie Johnston, Miss V. Clancy, the Misses Husband, Miss Watson and Miss Pearl Patterson.

Mrs. John Shorey had her family almost all home for Christmas.

Richard Richards moved into Misses Husband's house last week.

D. Scrivener fell and dislocated shoulder.

The Presbyterian "At Home" held in the Standard bank hall Thursday evening.

A new druggist has taken over business of Mr. Spearman.

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KILLED ON THE TRACK

Charles Haggerty, of Yarker, was struck and instantly killed on the C. N. R. track, about a mile east of Strathcona, on Tuesday afternoon, by C. N. R. train No. 11. The remains were brought to Napanee on the same train and placed in charge of Coroner Dr. Cowan.

On Wednesday an inquest was opened in the Council Chamber.

The engineer of train No. 11 was called and stated that he saw the man walking on the track ahead of his train shortly after he left Newburgh, when he whistled for the road crossing. The man apparently heard the first whistle and stopped off the track, but after walking a short distance stepped back on the track ahead of the train, notwithstanding that the engineer was whistling almost continuously from the time he whistled at the crossing until the unfortunate man was struck by the train. When the man stepped back on the track the emergency brakes were applied and the train brought to a standstill about three hundred and fifty or four hundred feet from where the man was hit. When the train stopped the body was found on the pilot, with the head down, and apparently dead.

The conductor, engineer, fireman, and baggage man placed the remains on a stretcher and took them to the baggage car and decided to bring them to Napanee.

The fireman confirmed the engineer's statement, and further testified that the bell was ringing from the time the train left Newburgh station.

Mr. W. F. Hall, who was a passenger on the train, saw the remains on the pilot, and noticed blood stains extending back two-and-a-half coach lengths from where the engine stopped.

The telegraph operator at Napanee station saw Haggerty get on train No. 11, leaving for Yarker, and helped him on. The man was late and the train was moving when he boarded it. The inquest was then adjourned until Thursday morning.

The inquest was resumed on Thursday morning. The conductor and brakeman of the train on which Haggerty travelled to Yarker were called as witnesses and their evidence was to the effect that Haggerty, after showing his ticket to the conductor near Strathcona, asked the conductor where the train was and was told Strathcona. Shortly afterwards, just before the train left Strathcona the man was noticed to leave the train and in getting off fell into a snow bank in front of the platform. After the train left Haggerty asked the agent at Strathcona whether he could procure a rig to drive to Yarker and was told that the nearest place he could secure a rig was at Newburgh. Later in the afternoon he was seen by a Newburgh lady at the first crossing this side of Newburgh and advised to get off the track. Instead the man turned around and started back along the track toward Strathcona and had nearly reached there when the train struck him. The jury brought in a verdict of accidental death and fully exonerated the engine.

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ing next.

DESERONTO.

A fox chase was held on the ice on
the bay on New Year's day which
lasted only for about one-half hour
when Al. Joyce's dog, of Napanee,
caught it.

The Sunday for prayer for peace
was observed in all the churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, of North
Bay, and two sons are spending the
holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ar-
chibald Smith.

Miss Evelyn Rixen, of North Bay,
is spending the holidays with her
friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rixen.

An alarm of fire was given Satur-
day afternoon and it was found that
the chimney in the home of Mrs.
Green, on College street, was ablaze.
The fire was soon extinguished.

A hockey match was played on
Warren's rink on New Year's night,
between the Y.M.C.A. and the high
school, and resulted in victory for
the high school.

STELLA.

The C. O. F. held its annual ball in
Victoria Hall on New Year's eve. A
good crowd was in attendance. Dow-
ney's orchestra from the city provid-
ed the music.

Very little driving has been done
on the ice yet. The different roads
are being marked off.

The school meetings were held in
the school houses on Wednesday.
They re-opened on Monday with the
same teachers again in command.

Mr. Rourke, Picton, has taken pos-
session of the Royal Hotel.

Mrs. J. Hamilton has been on the
sick list.

D. Coughy, Sr., attended the fun-
eral of his sister, Mrs. Allison, at
Elginburgh, on Wednesday.

Visitors: R. H. Filson and Miss
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See the Rural School Children's
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NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have
Occurred During the Week.

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WEDNESDAY.

A pioneer resident of Percy Town-
ship is dead, in the person of Mrs.
Samuel Allen, aged 91 years.

The Dominion police are making
enquiries about a German prisoner of
war in Fort Henry. He is suspected of
murder in the State of Michigan.

The postoffice at Callome, near
Cobourg, was burglarized by robbers
breaking through the back door and
stealing all the mail bags, with mail
and registered letters.

Col. Harrison Broadly, Unionist
member for Howdenshire division,
east riding, died suddenly yesterday.
At the last general election his ma-
jority over the Liberal was 1,131.

The French Ministry of Marine yester-
day issued an announcement con-
firming the loss of the French sub-
marine Curie in Austrian waters, as
has been previously reported in news-
paper despatches.

The Glasgow steamer Gem, a small
vessel of about 500 tons, has been
sunk in the North Sea as the result
of striking a mine. Two of the crew
were rescued, but the fate of the oth-
ers aboard the Gem is unknown.

The business of Scroggie, Limited,
the large Montreal departmental
store which went into liquidation
with liabilities estimated at \$700,000,
has been sold to Mrs. E. S. Almy and
Henry Wolf, of Salem, Mass., for 35
cents on the dollar.

THURSDAY.

Monday's list of wounded included
Lieut. E. H. De L. Greenwood, Royal
Engineers, formerly of the Royal
Military College, Kingston.

Capt. Castellui, a Spanish army
aviator, while flying in a biplane over
the aerodrome at Madrid, fell from a
height of 600 feet and was killed.

Jack Ward, well-known in Peter-
boro district and an officer in a British
regiment, was killed in action. He
had been in India with the regular
troops.

George Aikenhead was killed and
M. Brown and J. Caldwell were ser-
iously burned by an explosion of gaso-
line in the plant of the International
Harvester Co. at Estevan.

Getting in front of a moving con-
struction locomotive while at work on
No. 2' section, Welland Ship Canal,
John Marratt, an Italian laborer, was
knocked down, run over and instantly
killed yesterday.

Lt.-Col. H. T. Hughes has returned
from Salisbury Plain to Ottawa,
where, it is understood, he will take
command of the Canadian Engineers,
who are mobilizing in Ottawa for the
second Canadian contingent.

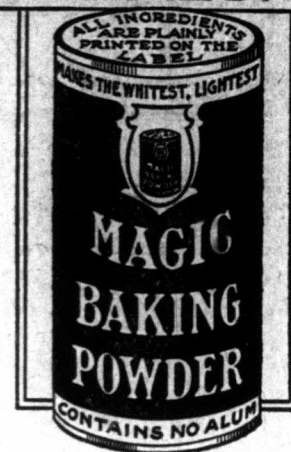
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NO ALUM



70 years ago, when parts of it were
practically a wilderness, is dead at
the age of 90 years.

Parker R. Young, aged 72, is dead
in Picton, Ont. He was at one time
warden of Prince Edward County and
has been in municipal life a great
many years, having been reeve, de-
puty reeve and councillor for the
town of Picton.

Sim Schaeffer, who confessed to
having helped himself to a man's
watch and \$56 while in attendance at
the Roma Theatre, in Berlin, Ont., on
Christmas night, was given two years
less one day in Ontario Reformatory
by Police Magistrate Weir yesterday.

Seventeen persons, the entire crew
of the American barque Pilgrim with
the exception of the messboy, who
was drowned, were landed at Kirk-
wall, Scotland, yesterday by the Nor-
wegian steamer Tholma, having been
rescued in mid-Atlantic three weeks
ago.

The will of the late Major Beattie,
member of the House of Commons for
London, Ont., was entered for prob-
ate yesterday. The estate is valued
at \$125,000, the bulk of which is di-
vided between two nephews in Lon-
don. His only child, a son, is given
\$100 a year.

LOCAL OPTION CONTESTS.

Five Municipalities Go Dry—Ten By-
laws Fail To Carry.

TORONTO, Jan. 5.—Local option
contests were held in thirty-one mu-
nicipalities in Ontario yesterday with
the result that five new places are
added to the dry list. The net result
of the voting was as follows:—

Municipalities in Ontario	842
Now without bars	535
Contests, including repeal con- tests	31
Local option bylaws carried	5
Bylaws sustained in repeal con- tests	9
Bylaws failed to carry	10
Still to hear from	7

The results in the various contests
and the number of bars involved were:

Local option, carried — Holland
Landing (1), Jarvis (2), Newbury
(1), West Lorne (0), Harwich Town-
ship (0)—Total, 5.

Previous local option bylaw sus-
tained—Durham, Midland, Newmar-
ket, Thornbury, Lakefield, Shallow
Lake, Tara, Teeswater, Percy.—
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Two Turks fired upon an excursion train near Silverton, New South Wales, killing and wounding several Australians. The Turks were pursued and shot to death.

Ten persons were killed and many others sustained injuries in a train collision yesterday morning on the Great Eastern Railway near Ilford, five miles from London.

A large cargo of copper, which is said to have been shipped to Denmark by a German-American, in an attempt to smuggle it through that country to Germany by means of a false bill of lading, was seized yesterday by Danish authorities.

Unemployed men and women in New York began the new year with an outdoor demonstration which culminated in a fight with policemen who interfered when an attempt was made to hold a parade with objectionable worded banners flung aloft.

Hundreds of citizens of Ottawa paid their respects to the Governor-General at the New Year's day levee. In the line which passed and exchanged greetings with the Duke of Connaught were the Prime Minister, most of the members of the Cabinet, and many civil, military and church dignitaries.

MONDAY.

Lieut. Fergus Black, of the 9th Battalion, is seriously ill with heart trouble at Salisbury Camp.

Thieves smashed off a lock in the store of Louis Routtbar, of Kingston, and made off with \$300 worth of jewelry.

Lieut. Bernard W. Greathed, who was saved from the battleship Formidable, was born and educated in Winnipeg.

More than 300 floating mines have drifted ashore on the Dutch coast, according to the commander of the Swedish steamer Ysra, which arrived in New York from Rotterdam and Portland, Eng.

Fire broke out about three o'clock yesterday morning in Fitzgerald Livery in Alvinston, Ont., and completely destroyed the building. The horses and a few rigs were saved. Loss \$3,000, insurance \$2,000.

German advices state that cardboard imitations of the iron crosses have recently become popular in Berlin. Now, however, the police authorities are taking measures against people found wearing such unauthorized decorations.

The British vessel Vestris, sister ship of the Vandyck, which was captured by the German cruiser Karlsruhe, steamed into New York harbor yesterday at the end of a 12,000-mile game of hide-and-seek, with the Karlsruhe, between New York and Buenos Ayres and return.

TUESDAY.

It is reported in Lemberg, Galicia, that pestilence is spreading in the city and among the garrison of Przemyśl, which is now almost without provisions.

Lieut. Charton, of the 80th Nicolet (Province of Quebec) Regiment of Canadian militia, has been drafted into the Fifth Regiment of Engineers in the French army.

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Arnprior doubled the license fee.

EVERYBODY'S SECRET!

Officers at Salisbury Found Leave Rules Hard To Obey.

SALISBURY PLAIN, Jan. 5.—A general order was issued which stated that no general Christmas leave at all would be granted the men of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. The next line went on to say that commanding officers were empowered to grant it to the extent of 20 per cent. of the men under their command. Seven days could be allowed for men wishing to proceed to Ireland, six for those going to Scotland and so on in descending proportion, according to the distance which the recipients of such leave proposed to travel. Finally there was an injunction that this was to be kept "secret."

There are officers who have learned the drill book from cover to cover and who know "everything else" about tactics and strategy, and yet they found themselves up a tough proposition when they were required to grant leave to one-fifth of their men and to keep the fact secret from the rest!

German Lawyer On Bail.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Maurice Deiches, a New York lawyer, who was arrested in Philadelphia Saturday night, was arraigned here yesterday on a charge of conspiring to defraud the Government in connection with the issuance of fraudulent passports, to enable German reservists to return to Germany. He was released in \$5,000 bail for a hearing on Jan. 11.

Capt. De Crespigny In Hospital.

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., Jan. 5.—Cable advices received yesterday state that Capt. Claude de Crespigny, son-in-law of J. A. McSloy, St. Catharines, had both feet frozen in the severe weather experienced while on active service in France. Capt. De Crespigny, who is now in hospital, will not have to suffer amputation of his feet as was at first feared.

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"Our advance continued in the forest of Le Pretre, which is to the northwest of Pont-a-Mousson.

"In Upper Alsace we occupied a important height to the west of Cernay. A counter-attack by the enemy was repulsed.

"In Steinbach we have taken possession of the vicinity of the church and of the cemetery."

NEW ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

Brigadier-General Hodgins of London Will Go to Ottawa.

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 5.—Brig. Gen. W. E. Hodgins, commanding officer of the first military division, with headquarters here, received word yesterday to report for duty at Ottawa as acting adjutant-general of the Dominion in succession to Col. Victor Williams, now on the staff of Gen. French at the battlefield. The appointment, it is understood, will be made permanent.

Gen. Hodgins is a South Africa veteran and a highly capable military man. He is to be succeeded here by Lt.-Col. Charles Francis E. Winter, present secretary to Major-General Hughes.

Lt.-Col. Oliver of the 29th Regiment, Highland Light Infantry, Galt, yesterday received and accepted an offer to command the 34th battalion, Canadian overseas force, part of the third contingent.

Warship Sunk By Submarine.

BERLIN, Jan. 5.—(Via wireless to Sayville.)—An official announcement made public through the official press bureau yesterday says:

"A German submarine boat reports by wireless to the Admiralty in Berlin that it has torpedoed and sunk in the English Channel, off Plymouth, the British battleship Formidable.

"The submarine was pursued by British destroyers but escaped undamaged."

Two Kincardine Citizens Dead.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Jan. 5.—Mr. Thompson, relict of the late Robt. Thompson, and mother of Robt. Thompson of this town, died yesterday, after an illness of two years.

Mrs. Baird, relict of the late Robt. Baird, for many years the leading business man and for a number of years postmaster of Kincardine, died yesterday after an illness extending over many years.

Be careful, son. You'll find it pays To be a saving bloke. You'll find it hard to mend your ways When you find you are broke. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Will nothing move you?" he asked anxiously.

"Yes," she replied, "I've got a truck man from downtown to do the job for \$6 a load."—Philadelphia Ledger.

My garden is a popular place; It thrives to beat the dickens; It's patronized with fenshish glee By all my neighbor's chickens. —Spokane Spokesman-Review.

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Germans Make Heavy Sacrifices But Are Repulsed.

After Capture of Bolimow Germans Have Tried to Push On to Warsaw But Have Been Stopped With Large Losses—Austrians Are Retreating In Disorder Before Victorious Russian Army.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Violent fighting is in progress along the eastern battlefront, leading at some points to desperate hand-to-hand encounters. The official Russian statement shows that after capturing Polimow, the Germans attempted to push on to the northeast, in the direction of Warsaw. Their advance is asserted by the Russians to have been repulsed with large losses. The Berlin official report says the German attacks are still being pushed east of the Rawka river.

A Petrograd cable says it is learned authoritatively that the fighting of Sunday on Bzura river front resulted in important success for the Russians.

The Austrians in Galicia are retreating in disorder, and whole regiments are surrendering.

The Muscovite steam-roller is crushing out the dying embers of the last Austrian advance through Galicia. The victorious troops of the Grand Duke Nicholas are following up the retreating Austrians down to the plains of Hungary, and as far east as the Austro-Roumanian frontier. Bukowina has been swept by the Russian left wing. Some of the Austrian corps co-operating with the Germans on the Vistula are being driven southward along the valley of the Nida.

The partiality shown by the Russian soldier for the bayonet is one of the features of the recent fighting on the Bzura. Again and again the Russians allowed the Germans to advance within a few yards of their trenches and then dashed upon the astonished enemy with the cold steel.

The Germans are still trying to force a passage of the Bzura river and are sacrificing men by the hundreds in the attempt. Night assaults rule, but up to the present have failed at every point. The most severe fighting is in the neighborhood of Koszow and Biskoupi.

The official statement of the Russian General Staff of the Caucasus says the Russians on Jan. 1 and 2 captured more than 5,000 Turks in a battle near Sari Kamysb, also mountain artillery and machine guns. One entire infantry regiment was captured. The battle was going on when the statement was issued.

The Turkish official report says the Turkish army in Caucasasia is continuing its march toward Kars, and that a victory was won at Sari Kamysb. Two thousand Russian prisoners were taken, with cannon and machine guns, and two military trains destroyed on the road leading to Kars.

TO REPLY THIS WEEK.

U. S. Protest To Britain Will Be Amicably Disposed Of.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The British Government's reply to the American note concerning contraband probably will be sent before the end of this week. An outline of the reply has been submitted to France, which is greatly interested because of the activity of French ships in searching Mediterranean cargoes.

Probably there will be a statement issued shortly showing the reply and

TOWN IS BOMBARDED.

Dar-Es-Salaam In German East Africa Shelled by British.

NAIROBI, British East Africa, Jan. 5.—(Via London.)—The British battleship Goliath and light cruiser Fox have carried out successful operations against Dar-Es-Salaam, capital of German East Africa. The warships bombarded the town inflicting considerable damage. All the German vessels in the harbor were disabled. Fourteen Europeans and twenty natives were taken prisoners.

The British loss was one killed and 12 wounded.

Dar-Es-Salaam, the best built town on the coast of German East Africa, is a military station with an excellent harbor, situated 40 miles south of Zanzibar. It is the terminus of an important caravan route, the residence of a governor and has large commercial interests. The white population in 1909 was estimated at 100, the total population more than 20,000.

TO TERRIFY BRITISH.

Death Sentence on Lonsdale Was Blow at Recruiting.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The Morning Post correspondent at Berne wires:

"I learn that the death sentence of William Lonsdale, the British prisoner of war condemned at Doberitz, will not be carried out and that it was passed with the object of terrifying prisoners of war who, according to the Germans, are often not very amenable. According to my information this is because they are deliberately underfed. This ill-treatment and death sentence on Lonsdale are all parts of a plan to deter the British from entering the army."

Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent transmits a despatch received there from Vienna which says that a newspaper editor, Joseph Kotel of Prossnitz, Moravia, was condemned to death by court-martial for a seditious speech, and was executed two hours after sentence was passed upon him.

WOULD FIX AN EMBARGO.

Enemies of Britain In U. S. Are Active at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Hearings on pending resolutions to restrict the export of arms and munitions to the belligerent nations of Europe began yesterday before the House foreign affairs committee. Delegations from New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and Baltimore, representing German-American and Irish-American organizations, appeared before the committee. All urged immediate action on the resolution of Representative Bartholdt of Missouri, which would empower the President to prohibit the exportation of war supplies. They insisted that at present the United States was not observing strict neutrality because Great Britain was able to secure supplies in this country and was able to prevent Germany and Austria from drawing from the same source.

To-day's sessions will conclude the hearings. The witnesses will include a delegation from St. Louis, headed by Father Joseph F. Lubeley and ex-Representative Metz of New York, and Lebeck of Nebraska.

HUNGRY AND FILTHY.

German Soldiers Seem Glad When Allies Capture Them.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The Daily News correspondent telegraphs from northern France:

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A TRAGIC EXPERIMENT.

How a Husband Tried to Cure His Wife's Fear of Pythons.

Concerning pythons, the following is a true story: A young lady in England for a long time resisted her lover's entreaties to go out to India with him as his wife. She had a horror of the wild animals she believed she might encounter there, especially serpents. At length, however, after he had issued a sort of ultimatum, she consented to accompany him. She did not, however, leave her fears behind her and lived in constant terror of some day meeting what she so intensely feared. Her husband did his best to laugh her fears away, but without avail. Then he resolved to try more drastic means.

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artillery reduced the German batteries to silence.

"On the Aisne and in Champagne the cannonading was particularly violent. Our batteries showed their superiority and brought under their reserve forces of the enemy. We became possessed of several points of support held by the Germans in the region of Perthes and of Mesnil-les-uruls.

"Between the Argonne and the Meuse, as well as on the heights of the Meuse, there was intermittent cannonading. An effort made yesterday morning by our troops to occupy ourouilles did not succeed.

"Our advance continued in the west of Le Pretre, which is to the northwest of Pont-a-Mousson.

"In Upper Alsace we occupied an important height to the west of Cerny. A counter-attack by the enemy was repulsed.

"In Steinbach we have taken possession of the vicinity of the church and of the cemetery."

NEW ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

Adjutant-General Hodgins of London

Will Go to Ottawa.

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 5.—Brig.-Gen. E. Hodgins, commanding officer of the first military division, with headquarters here, received word yesterday to report for duty at Ottawa at once as acting adjutant-general of the Dominion in succession to Col. Victor Williams, now on the staff of Gen. French at the battlefield. The appointment, it is understood, will be made permanent.

Gen. Hodgins is a South African veteran and a highly capable military man. He is to be succeeded here by Col. Charles Francis E. Winter, at present secretary to Major-General Hughes.

Lt.-Col. Oliver of the 29th Regiment, Highland Light Infantry, of Montreal, yesterday received and accepted an offer to command the 34th battalion, Canadian overseas force, part of the third contingent.

Warship Sunk By Submarine.

BERLIN, Jan. 5.—(Via wireless to Cologne.)—An official announcement made public through the official press bureau yesterday says:

"A German submarine boat reports by wireless to the Admiralty in Berlin that it has torpedoed and sunk in the English Channel, off Plymouth, the British battleship Formidable."

"The submarine was pursued by British destroyers but escaped unharmed."

Two Kincardine Citizens Dead.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Thompson, relict of the late Robert Thompson, and mother of R. S. Thompson of this town, died yesterday, after an illness of two years. Mrs. Baird, relict of the late Robert Baird, for many years the leading business man and for a number of years postmaster of Kincardine, died yesterday after an illness extending over many years.

Be careful, son. You'll find it pays to be a saving bloke. You'll find it hard to mend your ways When you find you are broke. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Will nothing move you?" he asked seriously.

"Yes," she replied, "I've got a truck in from downtown to do the job for a load."—Philadelphia Ledger.

My garden is a popular place; It thrives to beat the dickens; It's patronized with scendish glee By all my neighbor's chickens. —Spokane Spokesman-Review.

TO REPLY THIS WEEK.

U. S. Protest To Britain Will Be Amicably Disposed Of.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The British Government's reply to the American note concerning contraband probably will be sent before the end of this week. An outline of the reply has been submitted to France, which is greatly interested because of the activity of French ships in searching Mediterranean cargoes.

Probably there will be a statement issued shortly, showing that Italy and England and the other allies have arrived at an understanding concerning contraband satisfactory to all the countries affected.

It can be authoritatively stated that only five cargoes, destined for Italy have been stopped at Gibraltar since Nov. 15. Two of these were released within three days, and the others as soon as the alleged contraband in their cargoes could be removed. Since Dec. 4 no cargoes destined for Italy have been intercepted by the allies.

Workman Caught In Shafting.

CORNWALL, Ont., Jan. 5.—Chas. Potasso, an Italian, 29, who was a machine helper in the Toronto Paper Co.'s mills here, met a painful death in the basement of the mill yesterday morning. It is supposed he was in the act of oiling the shafting when his clothing caught, and he was twisted around the shaft. His right leg was broken above the knee and his left above the ankle, both being mangled. His left arm was also broken, and there were wounds in his head. He was dead when found.

Recruiting Brisk In Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Jan. 5.—A meeting of the Militia Council was held at St. Luke's Hospital yesterday, where Major-Gen. Sam Hughes is receiving treatment for his knee, which he injured ten days ago. He worked at his correspondence also with the aid of several stenographers.

Recruiting has become very active in Ottawa with the beginning of the new year. Many are volunteering for both the infantry and mounted regiments and the great majority are men who were born in this district.

Samuel Next For Ireland.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Interesting Ministerial changes are likely to follow the death of Percy Holden Illingworth, chief Liberal whip, according to The Daily News, which says it is probable that Augustine Burrill will retire as Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and be succeeded by Herbert L. Samuel, Postmaster-General.

Swedish Steamer Sunk by Mine.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—According to advices received here from Stockholm the Swedish steamer Carma has been lost in the North Sea with her crew of twenty men.

It is presumed that the Carma struck a mine.

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from drawing from the same source. To-day's sessions will conclude the hearings. The witnesses will include a delegation from St. Louis, headed by Father Joseph F. Lubeley and ex-Representative Metz of New York, and Lebeck of Nebraska.

HUNGRY AND FILTHY.

German Soldiers Seem Glad When Allies Capture Them.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The Daily News correspondent telegraphs from northern France:

"Again violent storms burst over the dreary, desolate area of the Yser yesterday. On both sides the fighting was a half-hearted amphibian warfare with water-logged guns, water-logged transports, and spirits drowned in the trenches.

"Sixty German prisoners brought in Sunday night were in a desperate state of filth and utterly worn out. I never saw such despondent men in my life. They swallowed the hot soup served them with the greed of starved wolves. They said they had been living in mudholes hardly fit for swine for weeks, frozen and soaked, turn-and-turn about."

Coal Barons Plan Fight.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 5.—That eastern Ohio coal operators at an adjourned meeting to-day will decide to formally break off all negotiations with the United Mine Workers' Union; will plan to evict striking miners because they have paid no rent since the strike was called the first of April last and will decide to make overtures to the miners as individuals to work "open shop" under the scale rejected by the miners' organization, was the belief expressed last night by those in touch with the situation.

Rev. Dr. Maggs Dead.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The death occurred Sunday evening of Rev. Dr. Maggs, superintendent minister of the Wesleyan circuit. Dr. Maggs, who was well-known in Canadian Methodist circles, occupied the pulpit in the morning and was on the point of leaving the house for the evening service when he had a seizure and died almost immediately.

Mania For Skating.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The greatest sale of skates in the history of New York is recorded. Because of the four or five days splendid skating on Central and Van Cortlandt Park Lakes and elsewhere, all the big department stores are practically sold out of skates. One large Broadway department store alone sold 2,000 pairs in one day.

Canadian In Police Court.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Jonathan McCarthy, who is attached to the First Field Ambulance Corps of the Canadian contingent, was remanded at Marylebone yesterday charged with causing grievous bodily harm to William Davis, father of his fiancée.

A Youthful Investigator.

"Miss Bellam," said a six-year-old boy to a visitor who was waiting for his mother, "will you take one of your shoes off a minute?"

"My shoes!" exclaimed the caller in amazement. "Why?"

"Well, I heard mother say you were getting crows' feet awfully!"

A Failure.

Wigg—At the first night of Scribner's new play I understand there was a big house.

Wagg—Yes, but most of the audience left early to avoid the rush.

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Jewish Flags.

The Zionists adopted a flag made up of a white ground with a blue horizontal stripe on each side and the shield of David in the center.

In reference to the direction from the book of Numbers, "Every man of the children of Israel shall pitch by his own standard, with the ensign of their father's house," the Midrash explains that the emblems and colors corresponded to the twelve precious stones set in the breast plate of the high priest. The colors for the different tribes were as follows: Reuben, red; Simeon, green; Levi, tricolor—white, black and red; Judah, sky blue; Issachar, black; Zebulun, white; Dan, blue; Gad, gray; Naphtali, wine color; Asher, pearl color; Ephraim and Manasseh, jet black; Benjamin, all the above colors combined.—Philadelphia Press.

The Pipe of War.

There is hardly a country in the world where the pipe is not smoked in one form or another. In many villages of the northwest provinces of India are to be found public hookahs for the use and comfort of travelers. Every one has heard of the North American's pipe of peace. General Blucher's pipe smoking was of a very different character. He appointed a man to the post of "pipe master," whose duty it was to fill a long clay pipe and hand it to the general before every engagement. Blucher would then enjoy a few puffs, give back the pipe and gallop into the firing line.

United States an Easy Prey.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Capt. M. E. Hanna, U. S. military expert, who is writing a series of articles for The New York Sun, declares that the United States could not repel an invasion. An enemy could easily land 100,000 invaders on the coast, as proved by the mock war waged two years ago.

Zeppelin Shed Destroyed.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—According to an Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co., French aviators dropped several bombs in the vicinity of Brussels Saturday, partly destroying a Zeppelin shed under construction and killing several German soldiers.

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MIXED METALS.

Some of the Curious Results Shown in Various Alloys.

In the beginning of man's acquaintance with metals only the softer ones, such as copper, gold, silver and tin, were mined and worked up into utensils, weapons, etc. It was early discovered that an alloy of copper and tin produced a reasonably hard metal called bronze, which was suitable for cutting instruments and, although not as hard as flint, was easier to work and did not break. Then began the bronze age of history.

An alloy is a compound of two or more metals. Alloys generally possess properties vastly different from the parent metals. For instance, gold is the most ductile of all metals. It may be drawn into the finest wire or beaten into a transparent film finer than the thinnest tissue, and yet mix the smallest quantity of antimony with gold and it is not ductile at all. Copper and tin mixed together produce an alloy with a higher specific gravity than either of its constituents, and the same weight will occupy less bulk. Copper and antimony produce a beautiful violet blue alloy.

By mixing together eight parts by weight of bismuth, five parts of lead and three parts of grain tin an alloy is produced which will melt at so low a temperature that a spoon made of it will melt when it is immersed in hot tea, and yet the melting point of each of its components is at least twice that of boiling water.

A small quantity of manganese makes iron almost indifferent to magnetism, while a bit of tungsten will increase its magnetic powers. Copper is a good conductor of electricity, but if a little arsenic be mixed with it it becomes almost a nonconductor. A little tungsten makes steel very much harder. Lead and antimony are used for making type metal because the alloy has the peculiar property of expanding as it cools.—New York World.

PLANNED TO LASSO A SHIP.

An Old Time Mexican Scheme to Outwit the Americans.

A leadlet from Don Ramon's folk lore may interest you. When war had been declared against Mexico and the arrival of the American hosts was daily expected in southern California, St. Agnes was in a tremor. Of course, not of fear, but of excitement.

One day the news came that a United States vessel of war was approaching the harbor. A council of the ancients of the city was immediately convened and many plans of offensive and defensive action were proposed and discussed, and finally the following one, designed by a Frenchman, whose brother had commanded a crack regiment under the great Napoleon, was adopted:

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HEIGHT OF WAVES.

in Severe Storms the Crests May
Mount Fifty Feet.

It is only in the imagination of the poets that waves rise "mountain high." The exact altitude and length of waves have been measured with scientific accuracy, and the record waves are carefully recorded. Waves in shallow water are, as a rule, higher than those in open or deep water. The height of a wave is commonly about one-fifteenth its length.

The longest wave on record was 2,590 feet, measuring from crest to crest, its period being about twenty-two seconds. Waves of extreme length are seldom very high. A wave 2,500 feet in length, rising in deep water, will have a height of about fifty feet.

When a wave enters shallow water its crest becomes considerably higher, and one of a height of forty feet will frequently rise to fifty feet. If it meets resistance, it may be thrown up twice this height.

In severe storms at sea waves rarely reach a height of fifty feet. The average in such time has a period of about ten seconds, which would indicate a length of about 500 feet. Waves with a period of ten seconds have a length of from 150 to 300 feet and a height of thirty-three feet and form a very high sea.—Exchange.

Porfirio Diaz's Poetic Prophecy.

President Porfirio Diaz, who ruled over Mexico for more than a quarter of a century as an absolute dictator, believed that only such iron rule could bring peace and progress to the half civilized millions of that country. Several years ago, when his power was still unbroken, an American who was on intimate terms with him ventured to suggest that the Mexicans were now prepared for a more liberal form of government and hinted that his rule was too severe. The stern old man stiffened his gaunt figure and ran his fingers through his locks, now white with years.

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ACCIDENTS ON THE WATER.

How a Pot or Pan or Even a Hat May
Be Used as a Life Preserver.

The worst thing to do in an accident on the water is to flounder around and shriek and cry. That expels the air from the lungs, and then the body will quickly sink. With this fact understood we may experiment with a number of things to show how little it takes to support the body. The high silk hat of man contains sufficient air to keep him from sinking if he grasps it by the rim and holds it upright so that the air is imprisoned under the hat. Even a derby hat will support a half grown boy or girl if held right.

Dishpans and buckets or tin pails can also be used as life preservers. Invert these in the water and grasp the rim with both hands and do not tip them so the air can escape. Not long ago a party of girls out rowing had their boat upset in a mountain lake. All of them except one could swim. This girl had an umbrella with her, raised to ward off the sun's rays when the accident occurred. Finding herself in the water some distance from the boat, she grabbed for the nearest thing in reach. It proved to be her umbrella, floating with the handle down in the water. She threw both arms frantically around the open umbrella. To her surprise and to that of her comrades, she did not sink. The imprisoned air under the umbrella supported her head above the water until help arrived.

The small amount of air contained in a bicycle tire will keep one's head above water for hours. Even if one is a fair swimmer, the day may come when a knowledge of some of these every day life preservers will prove of the greatest value. If thrown in the water a long distance from shore you may be able to float and swim with such an aid three times as far as you could without them.—George E. Walsh in Leslie's.

TAKING MEDICINE.

There Are Many Ways of Doing It, but
Only One Right Way.

Take a fluid remedy from a medicine glass or from a silver spoon. Chemical action of some liquids upon brass creates a liquid that would be fatal if taken into the stomach. A good rule is never to take medicine from anything made of the coarser metals.

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One day when she had been absent for a week a neighbor asked Robert when his mother was coming home.

"Oh, she'll be back very soon now," he replied. "I'm beginning to get pretty bad."—New York Post.

A True Courtier.

Upon his arrival at the court of Vienna a former French ambassador was presented to the empress, who was aware that the day before he had visited the beautiful Countess X.

"Is it true," she asked, "that the Countess X is the most lovely woman in Europe?"

"I thought so yesterday, your majesty," replied the diplomat, with a graceful bow.

Concert Pitch.

She (at the ball game)—Why does he make those motions with his arm before he pitches the ball? He—Those are signals to the catcher. The two men work in concert. She—Dear me! Is that the "concert pitch" I've heard about so often?—Boston Transcript.

Explaining an Ancient Episode.

"George Washington did not hesitate to tell the true story of how the cherry tree got chopped."

"Yes," replied the man who had testified in an investigation. "George was pretty smart. He knew how to get immunity."—Washington Star.

Faint Praise.

"Is the boy trustworthy?" "I consider him so. I'd trust him as far as I could see him. Of course I'm mighty nearsighted."

Muzzling the dogs of war is not so easy if you haven't got the muzzles.

French court procedure has all the wild strenuousness of a football game.

The average plaintiff in a breach of promise suit prefers the money to the man.

There was a time when a fellow began at the bottom, but he ends there now.

It is surprising what a lot of work a loafer has in order to dodge work.

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Unless directions require you to take medicines full strength, it is better to dilute them half and half with water. Never take doses larger than those specified in the directions. Better that they be smaller.

Under no circumstances take medicine in the dark. The reason is obvious. Read the frequent news of deaths of persons who have taken poisons by mistake.

Be sure never to pour medicine back into the bottle. Never fail to shake the bottle before taking a dose of the contents. If there be any sign of sediment, shake the more.

Unless directed otherwise you would better take all capsules, pills or tablets with a half glass of water.

Never use a liniment near an open flame, for a liniment usually contains some combustible element. Always rub a liniment into the skin until it is nearly dry.

Be sure to brush the teeth after taking medicine, since many medicines contain acids or iron, both of which are injurious to the teeth.

Keep effervescent medicines in a cool place.—New York American.

How She Escaped.

"Algy fell in love with a girl at the glove counter. He bought gloves every day for a week. To discourage his attentions she became a manicure."

"Then he had his nails manicured every day, I s'pose."

"Just so. However, I don't think he'll follow her any farther."

"Why not?"

"Then she got employment with a dentist."—Houston Post.

An Armed Crab.

"This crab," said the keeper of the aquarium, "goes armed in his native state. In his claws, which are too weak to fight with, he always carries sea anemones."

"The crab is of the genus Melia. He lives among beds of coral in tropical seas. The anemones he carries—one in each claw, like a nose-gay—are stinging, poisonous ones."

"They are his defence against enemies, and when I see a soldier carrying a gun I think to myself that there is a little pink crab in the sea that is quite as wise as any soldier."

Just as a Compliment.

Count Baldissare Castiglione wrote of manners in sixteenth century Italy: "Discourse of love is used by every gentleman, * * * not only when impelled by ardor, but also merely to do honor to the lady with whom he speaks. The pretense of loving her is, at any rate, a testimony to her worthiness to be loved. She, on her part, will for a time seem to fail to understand and anon will take it all as a merry jest."

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Martin's Way.

Irishmen are inclined to word perversion; but, says a writer, the following description of slow speech, which often degenerated into a stammer, shows that occasionally they use the best words possible in explaining a thing:

"It's a quare sort uv way Martin talks," said Pat. "It's as if he tuk the wurdz out uv his mout' an' looked at 'em before he gives 'em to yez."—Exchange.

Fought Tied to a Tree.

Capt. Wilhelm Muller, a wounded German officer, has told in Munich an interesting story of the fighting at Vosges.

"The battles," he says, "owed much of their fierceness to the presence of the French chasseurs. These strong Alpine mountaineers concealed themselves in treetops and tied themselves to the branches so that if they were killed or wounded they would not fall and disclose their position to the enemy."

Forget the Bitter Past.

There had been a fire in the apartment building, with heavy loss of property and many narrow escapes.

"Were there any acts of conspicuous heroism?" queried the reporter.

"Yes," said one of the victims. "With a self-abnegation never before witnessed in a case of this kind, sir, we all turned in and helped to carry out the piano that was on the second floor."

Not Rolling Now.

That the county steam roller is stuck in a farmer's field somewhere between Stouffville and Unionville is the disheartening message brought by municipal authorities to the Stouffville people, who are clamoring for a "good" main street.—Aurora Banner.

Tests of Skill.

Son (a golf enthusiast)—You must admit, father, that it requires a great deal of skill to drive a ball a hundred yards.

Old Farmer—Rubbish! It don't require half as much as it does to drive a pig fifty feet.—London Telegraph.

Killing Two Birds.

Griggs—Your wife no longer objects to you staying out nights. How did you manage it?

Griggs—I began smoking in the house the cigars she bought to keep me at home.

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Eggs, new-laid.....	0 16	..
Eggs, old-storage.....	0 28	0
Honey, new, lb.....	0 12	..
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GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

TORONTO, Jan. 4.—Quotations on the Board of Trade are as follow: Manitoba wheat—Lake ports new: No. 1 northern, \$1.34; No. 2 north, \$1.31; No. 3 northern, \$1.26. Manitoba oats—New crop, No. 2 C, 62c; No. 3 C.V., 59c. American Corn—Old, No. 3 yellow, 88c; Toronto; new, No. 2 yellow, 70 1/2c; Toronto; Canadian corn, 81 1/2c, Toronto. Ontario oats—New, outside, 50c 5/8.

Pears—No. 2, \$1.60 to \$1.65, car 1 outside, nominal.

Ontario wheat—Car lots, \$1.10 to \$1 outside, according to freights.

Barley—Good malting barley, outside 68c to 70c; Manitoba barley, 66c to lake ports.

Rolls oats—Per bag of 90 lbs., \$ to \$3.25; in smaller lots, \$3.25 to \$3 per barrel, \$6.75; wholesale, Windsor Montreal.

Milled—Car lots, per ton, bran, to \$26; shorts, \$27 to \$28; middlings, to \$30; good feed flour, \$36 to \$37.

Rye—No. 2, 88c, outside.

Buckwheat—71c to 72c.

Corn meal—Yellow, 98-lb. sacks, \$ to \$2.

Manitoba flour—First patents, \$6.60 bags; second patents, \$6.10 in bags.

Ontario flour—Winter 90 per cent patents, \$4.60 to \$4.65; Montreal, nominal.

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There was a good enquiry for all cereals but not enough offerings to make a market. Exporting houses were buyers of futures against export sale and bids from foreigners continue on un-trend.

Later exporters claimed having heavy sales to the seaboard today.

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MONTREAL GRAIN MARKET.

MONTREAL, Jan. 4.—There was considerable enquiry from foreign buyers for Manitoba spring wheat today at advance in prices of 6d to 1s per quart but even at the higher level they were out of line in most cases, and the volume of business done was small.

There was also a good demand for Manitoba barley, and a sale of 10,000 quarters was made to London of feed grade at 29s. There was an active enquiry for spring wheat flour for export account and sales of 8000 sacks of export patents were made for shipment to Glasgow. 36s 9d, while 26s 2d was refused for number of round lots.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.33 1/4; No. 1 northern, \$1.28 1/2; \$1.32 1/2; No. 2 do., \$1.22 1/2 to \$1.29 1/2; May, \$1.30 1/2.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 65 1/2c to 66c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 48 1/2c.

Flour—Fancy patents, \$6.60; first clears, \$5.40; second clears, \$4.30. Bran—\$23.

CATTLE MARKETS.

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WHY BANKERS TREMBLE SILVER IN THE STREET

Demonetization of Silver Discussed at Length.

The Judgment Begun — Financial Shakings — Deluge Feared — Various Expedients Tried — The Present Outlook — Earth's Only Hope.



PASTOR RUSSELL

Dec. 27.—Pastor Russell preached from the text, "This word, Yet once more, signifieth the removing of those things that are shaken, as of things that are made, that those things which cannot be shaken may remain."—Hebrews 12:27.

The speaker held that his text applied to our day, that the removing of all things shakable is now progressing, that the shaking heavens represent Ecclesiasticism, and that the shaking earth represents social, financial and political affairs. Everything false, bogus, inequitable, will be shaken. In financial parlance this is equivalent to saying that the "water" will be squeezed out of stocks and bonds.

The subject of the demonetization of silver was discussed at length. Forty years ago financiers concluded that it would be to their interest to have only a gold standard. The public, of course, acquiesced, believing the bankers' tale that this was really the best thing for the people. It is perhaps but fair to say that less than one-half of the bankers understood the philosophy of the matter, but were guided by the more astute, who fully understood. The result has been great profits and power to the bankers; for without them railroad stocks and bonds could not be handled successfully. By what is known as the underwriting process, the bankers took over large issues of railroad stocks and bonds, for which they were capable sales agents at a round profit, advancing money on the bonds and holding them for sale to the public.

The great banks have their vaults well filled with these stocks and bonds, on which they had hoped to make large profits, but which they are now unable to sell at any price. Reckoned in as part of their assets, these stocks and bonds show the banks to be wealthy, with immense surpluses; but now that the "water" is to be taken out of these stocks and bonds, there will be an immense shrinkage in the resources of these banks. They will suddenly become poor without actually losing a cent, by reason of the falling market value of their securities.

All banks realize this fact. If their holdings are to be reckoned at actual value, some of the richest banks will become insolvent and will be called upon by the Government either to close their doors or to make good their shortage. Right there will be their difficulty; for the rich men of the world have their capital invested similarly, and the reaction will be bound to affect unfavorably all great commercial enterprises.

As all went amazingly well for the bankers and the wealthy by reason of the demonetization of silver, so when the Day of Reckoning shall have fully

FARMER'S WIFE ALMOST A WRECK

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Her Own Story.

London, Ont.—"I am a farmer's wife and a very busy woman. Last summer



I was taken with severe pains in my back so bad that I could not get up or scarcely move without pain, and my periods were painful. My husband called in a good doctor and I was under his care for some time, but he did me little or no good.

One day a friend of mine told me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had been greatly helped by it. I began taking it and soon got well, and my periods became natural again. Since then I have had perfect health. In fact I have never felt so well in my life. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine many women need. If you think this letter will help other women please publish it."—Mrs. K. C. YOUNG, Tambling's Corner, London, Ontario, Canada.

Women who suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

PAINT THE SCREW HOLES.

Then You Can Use Them Over and Over Again Without Trouble.

Many persons experience considerable difficulty in getting screws to hold in screen doors and other movable conveniences which are put up and taken down frequently and which are held in place by screws. The holes occupied by the screws become worn, and the screws are often quite loose, causing doors to sag and be otherwise out of proper order.

Bits of paper, strings and small pieces of wood are used to partially fill up the holes so as to cause the screws to be tight, but these work out and cause great annoyance, and a better method is greatly desired.

A coat of paint on the inside of the screw holes is the most satisfactory remedy for such an annoyance.

When screws are removed paint the holes with a small pencil brush or a bit of cloth twisted and dipped in the paint. When the paint fills the creases made by the threads on the screw and thoroughly dries the screw will fit tightly the next time it is thrust into the cavity. The painting should be done each time the screws are removed, and it will protect the wood as well as make the holes ready for the readjustment of the door or other object which has to be changed quite of-

THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—For the first time today scored above the high price of wheat made Sept. 5 at the most citing crisis of the German advance on rice. On European buying that seemed nearly regardless of cost, wheat today touched 34¢ a bushel for May delivery, as against 31.32, which was the Sept. 5 record, and until this morning had been a topmost price since the apex of the nous James A. Patten corner May 25, 19, when quotations reached 31.35¢. Using prices today were strong at gains 2½¢ to 3½¢, compared with Saturday night. Corn finished 1¼¢ to 1½¢ up, its at a rise of ½¢ to 1¼¢ and provisions varying from 5¢ off to 12½¢ advance.

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET.

Wheat, fall, bushel.....	\$1.15 to \$1.18
Hoose, wheat, bushel.....	1.15
Barley, bushel.....	0.75
Hay, bushel.....	0.70
Beans, bushel.....	1.60
Peas, bushel.....	0.53
Butter, bushel.....	1.00

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, creamery, lb. eq.....	0.28	0.31
Wheat, creamery, solids.....	0.28	0.29
Wheat, separator, dairy.....	0.27	0.28
Wheat, new, large.....	0.16	
Wheat, new, large.....	0.16	
Wheat, new-laid.....	0.55	
Wheat, cold-storage.....	0.28	0.29
Wheat, new, lb.....	0.12	
Wheat, new, lb.....	2.50	3.00

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

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Rice and Whaley, and only one load at \$8 sold by Dunn and Leveck; good to choice steers and heifers, \$7.50 to \$7.75; medium to good at \$6 to \$7.25; good cows, \$5.75 to \$6.50; medium cows, \$4.50 to \$5.25; canners, \$3.75 to \$4.50; bulls, \$4.50 to \$6.75, and one or two at \$7.

Stocks and Feeders.

Very little is doing on the stocker and feeder market and the highest price being paid for good steers is about \$6 to \$6.25; stockers, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Milkers and Springers.

Prices ranged from \$50 to \$55, Fred Armstrong having bought 16 at these values.

Veal Calves.

The run of calves was light and prices remained steady at \$4.75 to \$9.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts were light. Ewes sold from \$5 to \$7; rams at \$4 to \$4.50; culls, \$2.50 to \$3; lambs, good quality, at \$7.75 to \$8.35; heavy lambs, \$7 to \$7.50; culls at \$6.

Hogs.

Selected hogs were quoted at \$7.50 fed and watered, and \$7.75 weighed off cars, and \$7.15 f.o.b. cars.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

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Bushel, bushel	0.70	0.70
Peas, bushel	1.60	1.75
Oats, bushel	0.53	0.54
Rye, bushel	1.00	1.00

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Butter, creamery, lb. eq.	0.28	0.31
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Cheese, new, large	0.16	0.16
Cheese, twins	0.16 1/2	0.16 1/2
Eggs, new-laid	0.55	0.55
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Honey, new, lb.	0.12	0.12
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Butcher's cattle choice, \$7.75 to \$8; do. medium, \$6.60 to \$7.50; do. common, \$5.25 to \$6; canners \$4 to \$5; butchers' cattle choice cows, \$6.50 to \$6.70; do. medium, \$5.75 to \$6.25; do. bulls, \$5.50 to \$5; milkers, choice, each, \$70 to \$75; do. common and medium, each, \$60 to \$65; springers, \$50 to \$55. Sheep, ewes, \$5 to \$5.25; bucks and culs, \$4.50 to \$4.75; lambs, \$7.50 to \$8.25. Hogs off cars, \$8.25 to \$8.50. Calves, \$5 to \$15.

All the Bank's Fault.

Mrs. Barrows was worried. That fact was evident to her husband, although she endeavored to maintain a cheerful manner. Before the evening meal was over, however, he discovered the cause of her anxiety.

"Will," said she, "I am very much afraid that my bank is in a bad way."

"How foolish, Mabel! Don't let that cause you a moment's worry. Why, it's one of the strongest financial institutions in the state. What-ever got that idea into your head?"

"Well, it's very strange," replied Mrs. Barrows, still unconvinced. "They've just returned a check of mine for \$40 marked 'No funds.'"

A Peculiar Worm.

An animal growing between the high and low water marks on the Japanese coasts is a mud worm called sabella. It occupies a hard, limy tube of its own making and gets its food when the high tide comes up over its hiding place by thrusting out a head bushy with tentacles and sucking in currents of water loaded with minute particles of nutriment. Out of this wriggling creature the shore people make soup, which is true vermicelli, not a paste imitation of "little worms," and is said to taste as badly as it smells.

Waterproofing a Cloak.

Showers are often heavy in the summer. A heavy coat becomes a nuisance to carry about. If you have a thin favorite cloak you would like to make showerproof here is the method: Dissolve four ounces of alum in one gallon of rain water and four ounces of sugar of lead separately in another gallon; then mix, dip the material into this, well work it about, dry in the air, wash in cold water, dry finally and there you are! Two dippings and two dryings will make it waterproof.

Solicitude.

"You don't know how I worry about my husband," said the tired looking woman as she leaned on her broom for a moment.

"Why, there's nothing to worry about," answered the neighbor. "He's sitting in a chair on the back porch, fast asleep."

"Yes. But some time when I'm not there to look after him he's going to fall out of that chair and hurt himself."

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As all went amazingly well for the bankers and the wealthy by reason of the demonetization of silver, so when the Day of Reckoning shall have fully dawned, things will go especially hard with them. Although the stoppage and reconstruction will involve rich and poor alike, nevertheless in many respects the rich will feel the pressure more.

Meantime, the war has brought the financial world to a crisis. The nations of Europe are being shaken. Already the casualties of the war amount to nearly two millions of human beings and hundreds of millions of dollars; and it is only begun. The thing wanted is gold; and, as in every war, this precious metal has practically disappeared in the warring nations. Their home securities will not be salable for cash; and a general attempt will be made to sell American stocks and bonds. But who will buy these? America will be practically the only market for them; and American bankers are loaded down heavily.

Reliable financial authorities declare that Europe has about five thousand millions of dollars invested in American securities. If but one-fifth of these be sacrificed to realize gold, it will mean a financial deluge. American banks, already overloaded, cannot purchase all; hence prices will tumble and wrecks follow.

Is it any wonder that American bankers fear to see Stock Exchanges open for business? Had the Exchanges not closed promptly when they did, we would have had the most terrible panic ever known. By their closing, the face value of stocks and bonds has been preserved, and thereby banks and bankers have been permitted to continue to count these at fictitious prices which nobody would pay for them to-day.

The Pastor then demonstrated that, if silver had not been demonetized, bankers would not be in the present distress; for the world would have had twice as much money with which to do business. He applied Ezekiel 7:19 to present hiding of gold and silver demonetization. But the various expedencies being tried by the world's ablest financiers will be of no avail, if he rightly understands Scripture. All human effort will fail, and the greatest of all financial crashes will take place, because the hour of God's Judgment has come. Earth's only hope is in the establishment of Messiah's Kingdom—near at hand.

Bibles For Wounded.

The Scottish Bible Society are making efforts to put a Testament at the bedside of every wounded and sick soldier in Scotland.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

are made according to a formula in use nearly a century ago among the Indians, and learned from them by Dr. Morse. Though repeated attempts have been made, by physicians and chemists, it has been found impossible to improve the formula or the pills. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are a household remedy throughout the world for Constipation and all Kidney and Liver troubles. They act promptly and effectively, and

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A Quaint Old Clipping.

From an old scrapbook, under the date of Oct. 25, 1791, is the following:

A young Fellow, of the City of Bristol, being in London lately, was, out of Curiosity, led to see the Lunatics at Bedlam. His first Approach was to the Cell of a poor Man, to whom he addressed himself thus—"So ho! what brings thee here?" The miserable Object remaining silent, he repeated his Question, and was answered only by a Languishing Look, which so enraged the Visitant, that he immediately spit in the Man's Face through the Grate. This caused the Lunatic gently to wipe his Face with a Whisp of Straw, and raising his drooping Head, he made this calm, sage and sensible Reply—"I am here, Sir, because God deprived me of that Blessing which you never enjoyed."

Habits.

Imagine Hercules as oarsman in a rotten boat; what can he do there but by the very force of his stroke expedite the ruin of his craft? Take care, then, of the timbers of your boat and avoid all practices likely to introduce either wet or dry rot among them. And this is not to be accomplished by desultory or intermittent efforts of the will, but by the formation of habits. The will, no doubt, has sometimes to put forth its strength in order to strangle or crush the special temptation. But the formation of right habits is essential to your permanent security. They diminish your chance of falling when assailed and they augment your chance of recovery when overthrown.—John Tyndall.

Rapid Sightseeing.

Europeans are wont to talk of Americans who rush through Europe with a guidebook in one hand and a railroad timetable in the other, but an Englishman overheard on a Fifth avenue bus the other day was in a class by himself for speed.

"I've been up to the Metropolitan museum," he volunteered to a seatmate. "Bally fine place, but big. Took me an hour to see everything in it!"—New York Tribune.

Caustic.

He had refused to buy her a new dress, yet she made no complaint.

"You don't call me a brute any more," he said tauntingly.

"No," she replied; "the brutes have been maligned too much already."—Boston Transcript.

Placing the Blame.

Wife—Everything you have you owe to me. Husband—That's what Dr. Jones says. Wife—Who's Dr. Jones? Husband—The stomach and nerve specialist.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Greatness lies not in being strong, but in the right using of strength.—

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Satin Walnut Dresser, reduced from.....	19.00 to	14.50
Satin Walnut Chiffonier, reduced from....	18.00 to	14.00
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the estate of Bowen Ebenezer Ay'sworth, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 121, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, Section 56, and Amending Acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Bowen Ebenezer Ay'sworth, late of the Township of Ernestown, in the County of Lennox and Addington, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 10th day of November, A.D. 1914, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to James Ernest Madden, Napanee, Ontario, solicitor for David Ay'sworth, Administrator of the estate and effects of the said Bowen Ebenezer Ay'sworth, farmer, deceased, on or before the 16th day of January, A.D. 1915, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them. And further take notice that after the said 16th day of January, A.D. 1915, the said Administrator may proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have received notice, and shall not be responsible for the said assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not have received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

J. E. MADDEN,

Solicitor for the said Administrator.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1914.

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NEW NIGHT TRAIN

—to—

TORONTO & OTTAWA

Leave Napanee 3.25 a.m.
Arrive Ottawa 7.40 a.m.

(Central Station.)

Leave Napanee 2.50 a.m.

Arrive Toronto 7.30 a.m.

(Daily)

DAY TRAIN

Leave Napanee 2.45 p.m.
Arrive Ottawa 5.20 p.m.

COME TO OUR FAIR.

Come West, come West to our Golden State,

Where the great ships pass through the Golden Gate,

Where the word of welcome is blazoned high

And the bay is sparkling 'neath sun and sky.

Come to our State where 'tis always green

And the golden orange in winter is seen;

Where roses bloom throughout the year—

Of winter's blasts you need not fear.

Come to the city built on the hills;

Its buildings so stately will give you real thrills;

At its feet lies the ocean, pacific and wide—

It invites all the world on its bosom to ride.

Come to our Fair! We will treat you right well.

For its wonders and beauties none can excel;

Its gardens and statues they gleam in the sun;

Its fruits and its flowers from the earth have been won.

Come, bring your friends; there is room for you all

In mansion and cottage, in hotel and hall;

All are open to you from the east and the west—

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A LETTER FROM ENGLAND

Westdown South Camp,

Salisbury Plain,

Divisional Signal Company,

Dec. 16th, 1914.

Mr. Reggie Wiseman,

Napanee, Ont.

NAPANEE MODEL SCHOOL

HONOR ROLL FOR DECEMBER.

SR. IV—Wilhelmina, Johnston, Vera McLean, Fred Tomlinson, Isabel Wagar, Neva Sine, Ivan Spencer, Grace Wilson, Helen Douglas, Alice Card, Gladys Marsh, Maurice Wolfe, Howard Perry, Lewis Madill, Morris Daly, Ernest Vanalstine, Juanita Thompson, Laura Woodcock, equal; Herbert Wilson.

JR. IV—M. Johnston, H. Wallace, M. Brown, D. Rockwell, D. Sager, F. Russell, G. Hetherington, Bessie Davis, J. Stinson, C. Cornwall.

SR. III—Keith Wilson, John Judson, Sperry Joyce, Harold Johnson, Gerald Johnson, Maggie Wood George Daly, Violet Palmour, Pearl Vanalstine, Frances Markle, Beverly Thompson, Mikred Roblin, Florence Davis, Clifford Gordon, Wallace Perry, Edith Baker, Mary Costigan, Dorothy Sine, Willa Nickle, Edith Metcalfe, George Bott, Roy Russell, Meryl Booth, Kornean McLean, Bernice Fish, Eva Markle, Mark Castaldi, Clarence Card, Julia Pybus, Marie Papineau, Beatrice Lerry.

JR. III—G. Maybee, C. McLean, J. Stewart, M. Derry, E. Janes, R. Woodcock, R. Wiseman, H. Loyst, A. Card, J. Fitzpatrick, L. Morris, B. Woodcock, A. Rogers, M. Ashton, E. Smith, H. Hull, H. Norris, F. Vanalstine.

SR. II—A. Wales, R. Rubenstein, L. Ackerman, K. Barrett, J. MacCormack, G. Jenkins, M. Daly, M. Edgar, L. Smith, equal; M. Davy, M. Kourber, L. Rogers.

JR. II—Awrey Howard, Gerald Smith, Walter Stevens, Mary Fox, Donald Graham, Allan Walters, Harry Walker, Cora Kellar, Lephah Wood, Elizabeth Carmichael, Georgie Robinson, Helen Davy, Lilian Heath, Stella Woodcock, Chester Parks, Francis Mills, Tillie Waller, Gertrude McLennan, Josephine Loucks, Marjorie Markle, Lona Marsh, Jessie Marsh, Tommy Powell.

SR. I—Sadie Stinson, Nelda Reid, Ernest Cook, equal; May Cook, Norma Ballard, Frank Ford, George Powell, Manly Storms.

JR. I—Yvonne McGraw, Dora McGee, John Fox, Nyle Vanalstine, Flossie Bongard, James Foster, Helen Penn, Dorothy Scott.

SR. Primer, Class A—Dannie Fartta, Gordon Jayne, Carson Graham, Nora Graham, Curtis Blackadder, Grace McConkey, Florence Wilson, Willie Coates, Carl Garratt, Marion Roblin, Madeline Stevens, Grace McGee, Fileen MacCormack, Aileen Lewis, Charlie Heath, Thelma Hamm.

Class B.—Beatrice Martin, Tom McGraw, Gladys Markle, Josie Kellar, Dorothy Johnson, Doretha Clark, Horace Lucas, Kenneth Miller, David Stinson, Donald Campbell, Jessie Rogers, Ray Bongard, George Lario.

JR. Primer, Class A.—Mary Rogers, Ruth Thompson, Elsie Root, Claude McDonald, Sadie Simmons, Harry Russell, Cora Marsh, James Plumley, Ward Huffman, Tony Castaldi, Clifford Walker.

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First Class—James McCumber, Fred Sangster.

Women's Patriotic Service and Red Cross Work

Through the Daughters of the Empire



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A LETTER FROM ENGLAND

Westdown South Camp,
Salisbury Plain,
Divisional Signal Company,
Dec. 16th, 1914.

Mr. Reggie Wiseman,
Napanee, Ont.

Hello Reggie:—How are you get-
ting along this weather? Would you
like to be away out here away from
home and friends? And would you
like to live in tents like I am doing?
It has rained fiercely lately but to-
day is very nice except for a high
wind. The mud is very deep and
nasty here but as we expect to move
in a day or two we must put up
with it. We do not know yet when
we will go away to fight but hope it
won't be long. The sun is shining
to-day and I am glad for it is very
seldom it shines here. I don't sup-
pose you could imagine anything to
approach the rains in this country,
for it rains nearly all the time. I
don't suppose you will know me
when I get back for it may be some
time before I am home again.

Hoping that this finds you in good
health as it leaves me and hoping
you have a very Happy New Year (I
suppose it is too late to wish you a
Merry Xmas) I remain,

Your friend,
CLARKE V. EMMONS.

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Napanee

Poultry Show

Wednesday,

Thursday, Friday,

Jan. 13th, 14th, 15th, 1915

Town Hall

CHICKEN

Killing Demonstration

Mr. E. Evans Demonstrator in Kill-
ing and Plucking Chickens will kill as
follows: Thursday 2 p. m., 4 p. m., 8
p. m. and 9 p. m.; Friday 10 a. m., 11
a. m., 2 p. m. and 3 p. m. This will be
the feature of the show and is worth
coming miles to see.

Special Poultry Meetings

Mr. J. C. Stuart of the Poultry
Branch, Ottawa, will speak on Co-
operation and Marketing of Poultry
on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mary Yates, Government Lec-
turer, will speak at 3 p. m. and 8 p. m.
Thursday, January 14th. Ladies spec-
ially invited.

Poultry show open to the public
Wednesday afternoon and evening
and all day Thursday and Friday.

Proceeds of the show donated to the
Red Cross Fund.

Admission 25c. Children 10c

Class B.—Archie Wilson, Doris Wells,
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Wilma Garratt, Billy Reeve, Grieve
Robinson, Russell Stevens, Robert
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mile, Leone Sampson.

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Sangster.

Jr. Primary—Mildred Harrington,
Cecil Grass, Helen Milling, Hattie Mil-
ling, Marguerite Thompson, Edna
Smith, Clarence Pennell, Clarence
Asselstine, Marion Vanalstine, Aubrey
Davis.

Sr. Primary—Dorothy Osborne, N.
Oliver, Grace Barnes, Clarence King,
Arthur Grass, Tommy Barrett, Harold
Barrett.

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Montreal, Jan. 5th, 1915

To the kind people of Roblin, Ont

We are to-day in receipt of a let-
from Mrs. F. F. Miller, Vice-Presid-
of the Red Cross Society, Napa-
Ont., enclosing a cheque for \$12
which she said was a donation fr-
you.

We are very grateful to you
this contribution to our Fund,
we thank you most heartily.

Yours faithfully,
H. PRUD'HOMME,
Hon. Treasure

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I am

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Get your oysters and haddies
FRANK H. PERRY'S.

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NAPANEE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

The following are the average scores made by each squad last week, together with the highest individual score made in each squad:

	Average	High Score
Squad No. 1	30.77	C. J. Haggerty 56
Squad No. 2	35.33	E. J. Roy.... 56
Squad No. 3	24.70	E. J. Corkill... 47
Squad No. 4	33.64	A. Vandewater 50
Squad No. 5	35.83	S. C. Richardson 44
Squad No. 6	29.40	F. S. Boyes.... 49
Squad No. 7	31.50	J. N. Osborne 57
Squad No. 8	33.45	H. B. Young... 57
Squad No. 9	30.25	F. Rikley.... 62
Squad No. 10	36.77	N. Root.... 53
Squad No. 11	35.33	C. A. Wiseman 50
Squad No. 12	31.50	C. Knight.... 56
Squad No. 13	3.70	T. H. Wiggins... 56
Squad No. 14	38.51	E. Madden... 46
Squad No. 15	46.	R. A. Leonard. 53
Squad No. 16	36.25	G. S. Reid.... 49

Mr. Frank Rikley, a member of Squad No. 9, wins the individual prize for last week with a score of 62, and Squad No. 15 wins the average prize.

For one week only, commencing Monday, January 11th, the form of shooting will be changed. All shooting will be done standing and without a rest of any kind. The following week the competition will be conducted as usual, members being allowed to use the usual rest.

New members are welcome. The Secretary, Mr. J. W. Robinson, will be pleased to have your name.

NAPANEE BIRDS WINNINGS.

Napanee Poultry breeders have been very successful at other Poultry Shows this season. At Guelph Mr. F. D. Marsh won on his White Wyandottes and S. C. White Leghorns, and in Rose Comb White Leghorns swept the class. At Brockville Mr. Marsh won four firsts in S. C. Brown Leghorns, and won best collection in both Single Comb and Rose Comb White Leghorns, and a \$25 cup for best four White Leghorns in show. Mr. Marsh has now won this cup for the third year in succession so it is now his for keeps.

Mr. G. B. Curran has been successful with his Single Comb Rhode Island Reds. At Teeswater Poultry Show he won 2nd Cock, 1st and 2nd Cockerel, 1st and 3rd pullets and special for best pair Rhode Island Reds in show. He sold the cockerel that won 1st at Brampton Poultry Show in December. Last week at Smiths Falls Poultry Show, Mr. Curran won 1st Cockerel, 1st Hen, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Cockerel, 1st, 5th and 6th pullets and a handsome Silver Cup for best six Rhode Island Red pullets in the show. He defeated all the leading Red breeders of Eastern Ontario, so his strain may well be called "Champions of Eastern Ontario."

All the above prize-winning birds will be exhibited at the Napanee Poultry Show.

MARLBANK.

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Special Bargains This Week.

6 Dozen Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers

Regular 50c and 75c each. To clear on Saturday
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IN MEMORY.

The following lines are in memory of Dyer Hawley, beloved husband of Amanda Hawley, who died at his home, Marlbank, Dec. 29th, 1914, aged 87 years.

See his tired hands are folded,
Peacefully upon his breast;
Pain and toil forever ended,
Father is at rest.
We can hear him gently whispering,
Darling, loved ones, do not weep.
After weary nights of watching,
Father's found rest in sleep.
Life is nothing to the rapture,
Of the perfect life above;
He is happy with the Saviour,
All is peace and love.

Do not mourn for him nor miss him,

He is forever out of pain,
In the land of life eternal.
We shall all meet him again.
Dearest Father, how we miss thee,
More than e'er the tongue can tell;
We would never call thee back here,
For we trust that all is well.
Not alone he crossed the river,
Jesus bore him safely o'er,
Oh, the raptures of the meeting,
On that happy, golden shore.
We are willing, Heavenly Father,
We can trust him in Thy care,
For we shall soon end our journey,
Then we'll meet him there.
Then dear Father, may we labour,
Live that when this life is done,
We may all go home to Father,
May he miss not one.

Written by a Friend.

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W. C. T. U. ITEMS.

New Year's greetings to all White Ribboners.

We are promised a letter from our Y. M. C. A. representative at Salisbury Plain in the near future.

Miss Firman, W.C.T.U. missionary among foreigners (our new Canadians as she prefers calling them) is continuing the work of forming night schools. She recently organized one at North Battleford with twenty-eight adult members enrolled, eighteen of whom are men. She describes them as attentive, industrious and grateful and teaching them a delight. She also organized a Mother's Club of eight members. Two of these were Syrians, two Germans, one Russian, one French and two Austrian. It is necessary to teach the parents English that they may retain the respect of their children, who adopt our custom of despising a foreigner who cannot speak our language.

Our Dominion President urges that a shower of letters of protest re the wet canteen at Salisbury Plain, be sent by individual members to the War Office, London.

Someone asks why should a church member belong to the W.C.T.U.?

Here are two reasons: Because the W.C.T.U. knows no denominational lines in christian work against the common foe to all and realizes the Saviour's prayer that "they all may be one."

2nd—That the missionary work in foreign countries is handicapped by the liquor sent there from so called Christian lands to debauch the natives whom the missionary is sent to help.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sills and family spent Tuesday evening at Mr. W. R. Pringle's.

Master Burton Vandebogart is spending a week with his aunt, Mrs. Ed. Boyle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sills attended the funeral of her father, Mr. Dyer Hawley, Marlbank, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dupree and family spent New Year's day at Mr. Robt. English's, Empey Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith attended the tea meeting at Anderson's church New Year's night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frisken and daughter, Thelma, visited Monday at Mr. Ryerson Pringle's.

Mr. Ibr and Miss Nellie Sills and Mr. and Mrs. G. Sills and son spent Wednesday evening at Mr. W. R. Pringle's.

School meeting was held as usual, Dec. 30th, Mr. Geo. Dupree being elected the new trustee.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Sills entertained their Sunday School Class on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis and daughter returned home to Oshawa on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Dean and Miss Maytas spent New Year's at Mr. Jas. Turnbull's.

Mr. W. B. Sills called on Mr. Will Ballance, Strathcona, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dupree and family took dinner at Mr. Milford Dupree's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vine at Mr. W. B. Sills' on Monday.

Mr. Willie Unger took dinner at Mr. Z. Dean's on Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Taylor took tea at Mr. Nelson Russell's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sills and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. Sills and son took dinner Sunday at Mr. W. B. Sills'.

Mr. and Mrs. Miro Card and Misses Edwin Miller's, Pearl and Isabel at Mr. W. B. Sills' for tea Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Provins, Ruthilda, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grooms, Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne, Mr. and Mrs. A. Turnbull and Miss Pearl Stewart, of Shannonville, took tea at Mr. Z. Dean's on Monday.

Mr. Ibr and Miss Nellie Sills spent Friday afternoon at Mr. F. Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vanalstyn and family took tea at Mr. W. B. Sills' Monday evening.

Mr. Rupert Taylor attended the New Year's concert at Selby.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Sills and son Keith, took dinner at Mr. W. B. Sills, Friday.

ENTERPRISE.

All were sorry to hear of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kenny's baby girl.

Quite a few of the young people of Obinewa attended S. Asselstine's ball in Verona on New Year's night.

Patrick Kelly and Miss Loretta spent Sunday at the Limestone City. Thos. Perrault and Joseph Fisher returned on Monday last after spending Christmas in Peterboro.

Miss Teresa Campbell and Cicely Kenny were home from Napanee for New Year's day.

Jas. Keho spent Sunday at James Campbell's.

James Murphy and sister, Mary, spent New Year's day at George Perrault's.

A couple of loads of young people spent an enjoyable evening at Maurice Kenny's on Sunday last.

John Breault spent the week-end at A. C. Finn's.

Misses Frances and Josephine McDonald are back at their schools.

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CONSERVE THE BREEDING STOCK

Everyone knows that trade conditions and commercial enterprise have suffered a very serious and unexpected upheaval during the past year. To this situation the war has, of course, largely contributed; but other causes, including the general financial depression throughout the country, have been operative for some months past. The agricultural industry has, naturally, been very widely affected by these changing conditions and by the varying situation with respect to demand and supply. The rise in the price of grain, together with the corresponding fall in grain production, represents, without doubt, the most outstanding feature of the direction which has been given to agricultural activity.

We need, perhaps above all things else, sane, level judgment on the conduct of our agricultural affairs during the coming year. It is to be expected that grain production will be largely increased. The raw products of the soil are, and will be, in demand at remunerative prices. What then is to be said, what course is to be followed, with respect to the breeding of live stock?

The high price of feed, on the one hand, and relatively low prices for market stock, on the other, have resulted in very heavy marketing throughout Canada, particularly in the Western Provinces, of the stock, suitable for breeding purposes. Perhaps this was inevitable, but will these conditions continue? Feed grain will, without doubt, be high in price, but it must never be overlooked that the country can maintain very large numbers of live stock on the enormous quantity of rough fodder which it can produce. To waste this, for the sake of the grain which can be grown, would, under the present circumstance, be criminal neglect. It is clear, then, that the country should conserve its breeding stock. If grain is to be grown for sale it is recommended that plans should be carefully thought out as to the manner in which the greatest quantity of rough fodder may become available for feeding purposes and as to the means by which this otherwise waste product, together with the screenings and unsaleable grain, may be utilized to the best possible advantage. In other words eliminate waste. Do it by feeding live stock.

The present low prices for stock cannot last long. A careful review of the world situation makes it clear that there will be a shortage next year. Europe is becoming seriously depleted in both breeding and feeding stock. The United States, for ten months of the current year, at its leading markets is short 746,045 cattle, 208,000 sheep and 1,894,939 hogs. Canada has, as before stated, heavily liquidated her breeding animals and, while it may possibly maintain its quota next year of more than seventy-five per cent of cattle and sheep, it is doubtful if the number of hogs will find their way to market in 1915, as compared with the current year. It is, therefore, a time for live stock men to stay with their trade. The present tendency is, of course, all the other way. A safe harvest is likely to be reaped by those who have stock for sale next year. Even bankers and business men are of this opinion.

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"What for?"

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"What's the trouble?"

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"Wait one moment, please. I'll take one anyway."

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Victory Before Next Autumn.

London, Jan. 2.—The correspondence of the Daily News at Petrograd telegraphs:

"The Russian combined armies of the South are now well supplied and in victorious spirits for a solid advance."

"Their position is so satisfactory that military opinion generally agrees with the estimate of the British Ambassador, Sir George Buchanan, at the New Year banquet of the British colony in Petrograd, last night, when he said, we could look confidently to the future, sharing the thought the arms of the allies will be crowned with victory before autumn."

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE EXPERIMENTAL UNION.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union will be held at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, on the 12th and 13th of January.

One of the most important features of the Experimental Union is always its co-operative work amongst the farmers. These experiments have become very general throughout the Province, and it is through the medium of this organization that some of the best varieties of farm crops have been introduced, and are now grown extensively, as for instance, the O.A.C. No. 21 Barley, the O.A.C. No. 72 Oats, etc. The co-operative work of the past year has been carried out along six different lines and the results should be of much interest and value.

Particular attention will be given this year to the increased production of food stuffs. There was never a time in the history of the British Empire when such close attention should be given to increased production of the real necessities of life. The following are some of the subjects which are to be discussed at the Annual Meeting: "Ontario's Opportunity in Food Production under Present Conditions"; "Peas Growing in Ontario"; "Canada's Chance in Heavy Horse Breeding"; "Some Important Ways in Which Farm Life in Ontario might be Improved"; "Agricultural Information Gleaned on a Recent Trip to New Zealand, Australia, China and Japan", etc.

All sessions of the Experimental Union to be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 12th and 13th, are open to any person interested in agriculture, and everyone is welcome and invited to take part in the meeting. Cheap rates have been arranged for on the certificate plan. For fuller particulars and a copy of the program apply to the Secretary, C. A. Zavitz, Agricultural College, Guelph, Ontario.

1,800 Aliens Interned.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 4.—Up to the present time 1,800 Germans and Austrians from the larger centres have been interned in Canadian concentration camps. As a result the unemployment situation has been considerably relieved. Before the close of the war, however, it is believed that there will be several thousand aliens interned in the various camps.

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Mr. Powell's book is important cause it shows us clearly what value there is in the German s gies for what we have described where, and must describe again as "the gospel of hell." One o things which made most impre upon Mr. Powell was the awful ishment dealt out by the German Aerschot. It will be remembered Aerschot was given up to mil execution because the son o Burgomaster had shot the Ge Chief of the Staff. The German sion, which Mr. Powell had from German Commander himself, was the effect that the Burgomaster ed some of the officers to din that this act of murderous treac was committed by the Burgomas son, a boy of fifteen; and that di ly the murder had been commi the townspeople, as if by a pr ranged signal, opened fire from windows. "The execution of Burgomaster, his son, and sev score of the leading townsmen, giving over of the women to a mad soldiery, the sacking of houses, and the final burning of town, was the punishment w would always be meted out to whose inhabitants attacked Ger soldiers." The Belgians' version the occurrence is somewhat diffr They admit that the Germans en the town peaceably enough, and t the Chief of Staff and other offi accepted the hospitality of the l gomaster. They also admit t while they were at dinner the Bu master's son entered the room shot the Chief of Staff in defence his sister's honor. Mr. Powell a that he does not know which is true version, and that perhaps one will ever know, for, as he gi ly remarks, "the Germans did leave many eye-witnesses to tell story of what happened," Mr. P ell, however, has done his best piece together the stories told those who survived that night horror. He tells us the facts t are known, and leaves us to dr our own conclusions:

"We know that scores of townspeople were shot down in blood and that, when the fir squads could not do the work slaughter fast enough, the victi were lined up and the machine-g was turned upon them. We kn that young girls were dragged fr their homes and violated by soldi in the public square in the presen of officers. We know that both r

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and women were mutilated, that children were bayoneted, that dwellings were ransacked and looted, and that finally, as though to destroy the evidences of their horrid work, soldiers went from house to house with torches, methodically setting fire to them."

From Aerschot Mr. Powell passed to Louvain, where what seems to have struck him most was the deliberate looting and destruction of the houses. This destruction he describes and adds: "This is not from hearsay, remember. I saw it with my own eyes."

INTERVIEW WITH GERMAN GENERAL.

Circumstances later on brought Mr. Powell into social intercourse with the German Commander and the German Army. With commendable courage, Mr. Powell told the general what he had seen and what was his opinion of it: "The general began by asserting that the accounts of atrocities perpetrated by German troops on Belgian non-combatants were lies. 'Look at these officers about you,' he said. 'They are gentlemen like yourself. Look at the soldiers marching past in the road out there. Most of them are the fathers of families. Surely you do not believe that they would do the unspeakable things they have been accused of?'—Three days ago, General," said I, "I was in Aerschot. The whole town is now but a ghastly, blackened ruin."—"When we entered Aerschot," was the reply, "the son of the burgomaster came into the room where our officers were dining and assassinated the Chief of Staff. What followed was retribution. The townspeople got only what they deserved."—"But why wreak your vengeance on women and children?" I asked.—"None have been killed," the general asserted positively.—"I'm sorry to contradict you, General," I asserted with equal positiveness, "but I have myself seen their bodies. So has Mr. Gibson, the secretary of the American Legation in Brussels, who was present during the destruction of Louvain."—"Of course," replied General von Boehn, "there is always danger of women and children being killed during street fighting if they insist on coming into the streets. It is unfortunate, but it is war."—"But how about a woman's body I saw with the hands and feet cut off? How about the white-haired man and his son whom I helped to bury outside of Sempt, who had been killed merely because a retreating Belgian soldier had shot a German soldier outside their house? There were twenty-two bayonet wounds in the old man's face. I counted them. How about the little girl, two years old, who was shot while in her mother's arms by a Uhlan and whose funeral I attended at Heyst-op-den-Berg? How about the old man near Vilvorde who was hung up by his hands to the rafters of his house and roasted to death by a bonfire being built under him? The general seemed taken aback by the exactness of my information. 'Such things are horrible if true,' he said. 'Of course, our soldiers, like soldiers in all armies, sometimes get out of hand and do things which we would never tolerate if we knew it. At Louvain, for example, I sentenced two soldiers to twelve years' penal servitude each for assaulting a woman.'"

In the end the German General asked him to tell, at any rate, the American people the German side of the atrocity business. Upon this Mr. Powell grimly mentions that he has quoted the words of General von Boehn as nearly verbatim as he could remember and adds: "I have no comments to make."

German Losses

Total 1,300,000

Northern France, Jan. 4.—The four latest lists published by the Prussian authorities contain 17,871 casualties. This brings the total of the Prussian losses to 771,073 men. The 83 Saxon, 85 Wurtemberg, 130 Bavarian and 13 naval lists published to date contain 500,000 names. Thus the sum total of the German losses amounts to 1,300,000.

200 Had Feet Amputated

Trieste, Austria, Jan. 1 (delayed).—On a train of 800 wounded arriving here to-day from the northern battle-ground 200 of the men had had their feet so badly frozen that amputation was necessary. In most instances both feet were amputated. The arrival of this last body of wounded, all from this Province, has so taxed hospital facilities that many have had to be sent to farm houses outside of the city to be cared for. The great steamship sheds and warehouses of the Austro-American Navigation Company have been transformed into hospitals and all are crowded.

Half-starved Germans in Mud-holes Unfit for Pigs

London, Jan. 4.—The Daily News correspondent telegraphs from Northern France: "Again violent storms burst over the dreary, desolate area of the Yser yesterday. On both sides the fighting was a half-hearted amphibian warfare with water-logged guns, water-logged transports, and spirits drowned in the trenches. "Sixty German prisoners brought in last night were in a desperate state of filth and utterly worn out. I never saw such despondent men in my life. They swallowed the hot soup served them with the greed of starved wolves. They said they had been living in mud holes hardly fit for swine for weeks, frozen and soaked, turn-and-turn about."

Enemy Crossed Bzura Not a Man Returned

Petrograd, Jan. 4.—An official communication issued Sunday night by the general staff of the Russian army regarding the fighting in Poland and Galicia says: "A strong artillery combat has been fought all along the front on the left bank of the Vistula. The attempt of the Germans to gain ground in certain places in the region of the Bzura River was without success. "On the night of January 2 we discovered the passage of Germans across the Bzura in the vicinity of Kozlof and Biskoupi. Having watched the concentration of the enemy's forces, one of our glorious regiments surrounded the Germans. They attacked them with the bayonet, without firing a shot, and in the hand-to-hand struggle which followed killed several hundred men. The survivors saved their lives by surrendering. "About 3 p.m., on January 2, a brigade of German infantry attacked our position near Borjimiow, north-east of Polimow, but the German assault was repulsed with enormous losses by the fire from several batteries and a counter-attack made with the bayonet. "Desperate fighting occurred during the night of January 2, continuing

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Mr. Powell's book is important because it shows us clearly what real value there is in the German apologies for what we have described elsewhere, and must describe again here, "the gospel of hell." One of the things which made most impression on Mr. Powell was the awful punishment dealt out by the Germans to Aerschot. It will be remembered that Aerschot was given up to military execution because the son of the Burgomaster had shot the German Chief of the Staff. The German version, which Mr. Powell had from the German Commander himself, was to the effect that the Burgomaster asked some of the officers to dinner; at this act of murderous treachery as committed by the Burgomaster's son, a boy of fifteen; and that direct the murder had been committed in the townspeople, as if by a pre-arranged signal, opened fire from their windows. "The execution of the Burgomaster, his son, and several more of the leading townsmen, the giving over of the women to a lustful soldiery, the sacking of the houses, and the final burning of the town, was the punishment which could always be meted out to towns whose inhabitants attacked German soldiers." The Belgians' version of the occurrence is somewhat different. They admit that the Germans entered the town peaceably enough, and that the Chief of Staff and other officers accepted the hospitality of the Burgomaster. They also admit that while they were at dinner the Burgomaster's son entered the room and shot the Chief of Staff in defence of his sister's honor. Mr. Powell adds that he does not know which is the true version, and that perhaps no one will ever know, for, as he grimly remarks, "the Germans did not give many eye-witnesses to tell the story of what happened." Mr. Powell, however, has done his best to set together the stories told by those who survived that night of horror. He tells us the facts that are known, and leaves us to draw our own conclusions:

"We know that scores of the townspeople were shot down in cold blood and that, when the firing had ended, the victims were lined up and the machine-guns turned upon them. We know that young girls were dragged from their homes and violated by soldiers in the public square in the presence of officers. We know that both men

and women were taken to the edge of a hand and do things which we would never tolerate if we knew it. At Louvain, for example, I sentenced two soldiers to twelve years' penal servitude each for assaulting a woman."

In the end the German General asked him to tell, at any rate, the American people the German side of the atrocity business. Upon this Mr. Powell grimly mentions that he has quoted the words of General von Boehn as nearly verbatim as he could remember and adds: "I have no comments to make."

Austria's Awful Losses

London, Jan. 4.—The Nish correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The terrible losses suffered by the Austro-Hungarian army operating against the Servians are shown by authentic figures I have obtained here.

Her losses since November 1 have certainly reached 180,000 in killed, wounded and prisoners. This makes a total loss of nearly 330,000 men. Of this number 68,000 are prisoners. In addition to these prisoners, Servia has captured four flags, 192 guns, 491 carloads of ammunition, 86 machine guns, 90,000 rifles, 4,000 horses and much other war materials. Thus the Servians have captured men and material enough for two complete army corps.

tacked them with the bayonet, without firing a shot, and in the hand-to-hand struggle which followed killed several hundred men. The survivors saved their lives by surrendering.

"About 3 p.m., on January 2, a brigade of German infantry attacked our position near Borjow, north-east of Polimow, but the German assault was repulsed with enormous losses by the fire from several batteries and a counter-attack made with the bayonet.

"Desperate fighting occurred during the night of January 2, continuing until daybreak, north-east of Rawa, where we succeeded in dislodging the enemy from some of the trenches which they had previously taken.

"South of Pilica River fighting took place at Wetairie and Gaschek, west of Inowledz, and also south-east of Malagoszez, near Volmine, where we repulsed all attacks of the enemy.

"In Galicia the fighting around Corlice and Zakliczyn continues.

"In the region of the Uzkup pass and Rostoki (south of Lisko) we have made progress. We drove back the enemy, who fled in great disorder. We captured 2,000 prisoners and some mitrailleuses. Several companies of the Austrians surrendered in a body. In their retreat to Touzok the Austrians abandoned arms and ammunition.

"The offensive in Bukowina continues."

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LUCILLE LOVE

THE GIRL of MYSTERY

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In her delirium Hugo Loubeque was constantly ministering unto her slightest want, soothing her with tender words, a veritable Goliath in fighting back the hordes of imps that would have tormented her. Always was he by her side—always until the mantle of blackness completely reached out and swathed her, soothing her to untroubled slumber, a slumber disturbed but once and that when Loubeque stood before her looking down at her with a light of mingled happiness and triumph in his eyes—a look that brought dimly back to her the memory of certain things yet to be accomplished, but which she had not the strength to completely recall, a look so transitory that when she fought her eyes wide open he was gone, and she was conscious of being in a strange place, a black figure rising from the corner, then slumber once again.

Instinct forced her finally from the lethargic slumber, the instinct common to all higher forms of animals of protecting one's treasure. Her hands groped at her neck, where a slight tug had awakened her. Something brushed across her hand when she forced her eyes open, the figure she remembered to have seen in the corner was still squatting there, a figure that might have been inanimate save for the burning eyes fastened upon her. Nervously she fumbled at her neck, the feel of the ruby necklace meeting her fingers and puzzling her for a moment before it started a chaotic chain of recollections that finally marshaled themselves in semblance of order.

Out of the delirium of fever she fought remembrance of all that had happened since Hugo Loubeque dragged her back in the boat, recalled vividly from the subconscious brain that had attained ascendancy during that harrowing period, his tender nursing of her, his denial, his stern self-mastery when the blazing sun, the thirst, the hopelessness would otherwise have compelled him to give up the fight; and then the fishing boat, the blessed relief of water, the breaking of the fever and consequent repairing of burned out nerve tissue, the arrival in this house and the spy's leave taking.

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gun. Voices were in the hall now Lucille dragged the body of the woman under the couch and squatted in the woman's place just as the door opened and a head was poked inside. She mumbled something inarticulate, guttural, peevish voiced, and the head was withdrawn after the owner cast one glance at the figure under the blankets. He had no sooner closed the door than the girl picked the knife from the floor and ripped the blanket into strips, securely tying her prisoner and gagging him.

Then, after waiting a second at the door, mustering her courage, she stepped into the hallway and down into the open air.

CHAPTER XII.

The Mystery of a Voice.

IT was the sight of the ocean that braced her against the chill that threatened to send her back. She shrugged her shoulders and marched steadily down the foul smelling, dirty little street until she glimpsed a building taller than any others surrounding it and decorated with a gorgeousness of elaboration which made her forget everything save admiration for the skill and patience expended in such work. Before the door stood a closed palanquin, evidently the vehicle for a personage of great consequence from the rich silk robes that overflowed the sides. "Lucille!" came a hoarse whisper.

This time she knew she had made no mistake. She even identified the direction from which the voice came. But surely nobody save Hugo Loubeque knew her in this place, and Hugo Loubeque—

Something small and compact fell at her feet and she stared at it wonderingly, incredulously, recognizing it for the diary of Hugo Loubeque, the international spy. The sound of the closing door made her hurriedly snatch it from the ground and conceal it beside the ruby necklace. Then she



the papers once more. If he stepped upon this giant boat it was because the papers were in his possession. If they were in his possession then she would follow.

But the diary?

Her fingers told her that this was no phantasy, no figment of an overwrought brain. She held the diary and Hugo Loubeque was boarding the boat. If he boarded the boat it was because he was not yet aware of his loss. Whichever it was, she must follow him. She must be aboard the boat when it sailed.

Through the days when Loubeque watched Lucille hovering about the black borderland of death in the house to which he had been recommended by his subordinate, the governor of the province to which the fishing smack that rescued them bore them, his brain had fed upon one thought. The papers in the possession of Captain Wetherell must be found. But how?

The day before he saw Lucille was out of danger, the problem was answered for him by a call from the governor of the province, in whom he recognized a man he had been instrumental in aiding, and one who feared him greatly.

Instantly it was all clear to him. Here was one he need fear making no confession to. He had found out, aboard the boat, exactly where the shipment of arms was to be made. He knew Wetherell might go hundreds of miles out of his course before the vengeful man of war, but he also knew that the goods must be landed at the designated place before he received his pay.

Leaving a sum of money with the nurse Loubeque decided that when Lucille recovered she would be sufficiently well provided for to get word to her people and escape from this, the last of her adventures. He led a company of picked soldiers aboard the fighting craft provided for their transport and sailed toward the spot where the delivery was to be made.

There in a tiny islet he arrived barely a day before the yacht put in with its illicit cargo. The skirmish with the landing crew lasted a scant hour, but already the spy had discovered that Wetherell, the man he wanted, was not with the outfit and he began laying plans for taking the yacht.

Captain Wetherell, impatiently waiting for his men to return for a second load, had finally tired and was bringing it ashore himself. From the shore suddenly shot out the boat his mate had taken in, but instead of the crew he knew so well the oars were now being manned by Chinese soldiers. In a minute he found the side of his boat battering against that of the other, with soldiers piling recklessly upon his small crew.

He caught a flash of Loubeque laying about him, saw that resistance was utterly useless. Swiftly his hand sought the precious bag in which were the papers he had stolen from Lucille. He drew it open hurriedly, the sealed packet of papers—which formed the major bulk of its contents—and the diary falling at his feet. He felt Loubeque's eye upon him, caught a flash of the spy as he sprang at him, and with a derisive laugh hurled the bag with the heavy packet overboard.

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Short periods of time there were when the nurse would sleep lustily and then Lucille walked warily up and down the floor, gradually regaining perfect power of locomotion. That necklace meant everything to her in this strange country. It meant the ability to travel, to do anything she pleased in her fight to regain the precious papers that meant honor and liberty to her falsely accused sweetheart.

And with the return of strength came a terrible uneasiness, a great fear. Hugo Loubeque, tender though his care of her had been, had left immediately she was out of danger, and she knew his motive was to seek the papers that Captain Wetherell had stolen.

It was dawn of the third day that the nurse slipped from the room, slip- ping on a rug, and Lucille, that instant, how sent a chill through the girl and made her sit bolt upright in the bed, as the door closed, spring toward the chair beside the door. The soft patter of slipped feet upon the floor made her stiffen with resolution as she hid herself so that the

opened door would secure her from sight. Then the door opened an inch at a time, silently, cautiously, while the woman slipped inside the room, looked at the blanket upon the couch where Lucille should have been, then beckoned to a slender, yellow robed young Chinaman, who entered even more noiselessly than the nurse had done. The girl in hiding shuddered at sight of the vicious knife the young Chinaman passed to the woman. The man muttered a guttural deep in his throat as he crouched. Evidently the revolver he carried bothered him, for he placed it upon the chair. Lucille's fingers darted out, closing upon the welcome butt just as the woman leaped across the distance that separated her from the couch upon which the blanket bulged deceptively, driving the ugly knife down with a force that sent her off her balance. Lucille knew she could hide no longer and stepped from behind the door, the revolver leveled upon the pair, her voice shaking despite herself.

"Hands up!" she cried.

The man cinged, crouched away from her, but the sight of the girl there seemed to enrage the woman completely. Brandishing the knife wildly, she leaped forward, then lurched from side to side simultaneously with the discharge of the gun, slipping, wounded, to the floor in a heap. The man crouched still further away, and Lucille advanced upon him.

Somehow she felt no compunction now, felt no fear, only felt the necessity for immediate haste in getting away. She signaled to the fellow that he should get out of his robes instantly. Sounds of activity came from every direction. She was shaking like a runaway horse with the strain. The young fellow was equally nervous, but the revolver at his chest made him hasten. Lucille forced him under the blanket, hissing a warning in his ear which he evidently understood, as it was emphasized by a meaning prod that was more eloquent than any other language—the point of a businesslike

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She Stepped Inside the Palanquin.

shrank back against the side of the house, eyeing the portly, sallow faced Chinaman who came slowly and majestically toward her.

Evidently the owner of the palanquin, a personage of great circumstance from his dwelling and personal attire, she judged. Her fingers pressed against the diary and encountered the rubies. The touch of them gave her a swift idea and she cautiously drew the necklace from about her neck, detaching one from the strand and knotting the stout hair wire so none should escape because of the loosening. She looked at the pigeon-blood a moment, recalling her father's contemptuous sentence regarding the corruptibility of the Chinese noble, then advanced toward the man just as he reached out to enter his vehicle.

His face was impassive as he stared blankly at her. Finally in desperation she held out the ruby to him. He turned it over and over in his fingers. His eyes were fairly glowing when he lifted them once more and met hers, nodding as she moved toward the palanquin and stepped inside, secreting herself under the silk robes and burrowing to one corner while the owner entered.

Her thoughts ran riot during that trip. Where had the diary of the spy come from? Surely not Loubeque, yet no one but Loubeque was familiar with her name. Possibly its possessor had been a prisoner. A prisoner—

Wetherell or some one of his crew. They had possession of the diary and precious papers. But why confined? What could it all mean? She racked her brain for an answer, was so absorbed in the puzzle that she did not notice the palanquin had halted, did not notice until she heard a familiar voice chatting with the owner in Chinese. But she would have recognized that voice in any quarter of the globe, would have known it anywhere, for it was the voice of Hugo Loubeque, international spy and her enemy.

His tones were light, happy; he appeared satisfied with himself and with life. She looked out to find herself upon a quay, a great boat docking there, its hold being filled by coolie stevedores. And, stepping up the gangplank, a broad smile upon his face, moved Hugo Loubeque.

Lucille thrilled. If Hugo Loubeque smiled, he was happy. If the spy was happy it was because he had secured

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Wetherell scowled heavily as Hugo Loubeque, having been helped into the boat, brushed against him, his face smiling grimly as he looked down into the eyes of the yachtmaster.

"Very foolish, Wetherell. Now, I think the sight of you making a little jaunt up a hill with a swordsman behind you studying the cleanest place to take that head from your shoulders would be about as pleasant as anything I'd care to look at."

Wetherell did not answer. Only, even after being bound, the feel of the diary that had dropped from the bag gave him some comfort.

The yawning side of the great vessel stood open before Lucille, the coolie stevedores trundling their great loads of merchandise across the wharf and disappearing within, as though swallowed up forever.

Lucille was suddenly made conscious of the fact that she was very weak. Nervously she fingered the ruby necklace about her throat, trying to think of some way another of the precious stones might be made to work its magic influence. She could buy a passage with it, could bribe many aboard the boat, but she must not be seen by Hugo Loubeque.

Fiercely she fastened her little teeth in her lower lip. Hugo Loubeque had the precious papers in his possession else he would never have smiled so serenely to himself as he boarded the boat. She had his diary, but it could not be used against him now. There would come a time when it would

prove of the utmost value, but not now. What could she do?

The rattle of muskets brought her out of the fit of abstraction into which she had fallen. She shrank away in the shadow of a packing case, squeezing herself into as small a space as possible, her breath coming fast as she saw the officer who commanded the squad of soldiers march up the gangplank just as the captain descended to inquire what his business was. Then the tall figure of Hugo Loubeque appeared beside the pair, offering to translate the soldier's words.

"He is hunting an American girl I left ill in the town. It appears she shot and wounded her nurse and bound a Chinese soldier, taking his clothes and making her escape," said the spy.

"Well, there's no such person aboard," gruffly retorted the officer of the ship.

Again Loubeque turned to the soldier, but the man shook his head vehemently.

"He must search the vessel. Those are his orders," interpreted the spy, then, "you really can't blame him, captain."

The officer nodded consent, adding grimly that he would stand for anything that did not entail delaying the boat's sailing on schedule.

As the eavesdropping girl watched the soldiers march the gangplank and disappear in different parts of the boat

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But always, when her courage had fairly ebbed, would come another picture. It was as though her horror popping eyeballs had forced poignantly home to her the vision of Manila; or her father, grieving himself to death at her absence; or of the shipwreck; he sweetheart, imprisoned, with ever; hand turned against him, with the girl he loved away. She must bring back the papers which Loubeque carried she must clear her lover.

Day and night—night and day—there was no difference between the two in this black hole. It seemed to her that they must be near the end of their journey, judging by the torments she had been through, when a swaying light directly over her head made her dart hastily back and strive to hide behind a looming bale. The exclamation of surprised incredulity which sounded in her ears told that she had been discovered. In an instinctive effort to hide she struck against a bale that had partially dislodged itself and sent it thundering against a second stack. In a moment the hold was filled with tumbling boxes and bales, toppling, reeling, thrashing, thundering in every direction. Lucille saw plainly above her a face that framed popping eyes and widened lips.

Swiftly she leaped upon a box that had formed the foundation for a pyramid. As though by instinct the sailor fung the lantern from him and reached down his hands. Lucille felt his fingers clutching at her wrists. Then slowly, so slowly it seemed she would never succeed in getting through that trap, she was lifted up, up to the deck where she lay panting and breathless, the man beside her fairly whistling from the exertion of once more breathing freely.

Slowly a smile spread over his weather beaten face as he scanned the silken sult in which she was arrayed. Lucille saw that she had made a friend already and immediately pressed her advantage.

"Nobody must know you found me there," she began hurriedly, then, as he started to protest, "No, no. Please listen!"

Again the sailor shook his head, a troubled expression in his eyes. Lucille knew that she had lost and, instead of pleading, took the next best course that seemed open to her.

"Then, if you must, bring the captain to me instead of parading me before every one. I would not ask you this, but I have an enemy aboard and—oh, I can!"—she closed her lips quickly, as the hint of a gleam of avarice showed in the man's eyes. After a second's thought he nodded briefly and moved hurriedly away.

Lucille had no time for regret at her discovery. She had felt all along that it was inevitable, but had refrained till now from figuring on what explanation she could make in such event. That expression, the swift change on the sailor's face, as he thought her on



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the point of mentioning money, verified her instinctive knowledge that she must keep her ownership of the magnificent ruby necklace secret. She knew that the best of men would be tempted by such a king's ransom as the marvelous jewels represented. Likewise she felt that it would be unwise, under any circumstances, to entrust any one with the knowledge that she possessed the international spy's diary. This must she had concluded when the captain stamped heavily across to her, followed by the sailor, his face frowning blackly, but with a curious twinkle in his eyes the girl was quick to discern.

"And so the young lady with murderous tendencies was on board my boat all along. Of course you understand that I must put you in irons and turn you over to the authorities at San Francisco."

Some impulse impelled her, an impulse to put on a manner altogether at variance with her nature. She drew herself saucily erect, meeting his eyes with laughter lurking in her own.

"Of course, you don't intend doing any such thing," she retorted boldly. "I was sick and the woman they left to nurse me sneaked in the room late at night and tried to stab me. I saw her slip out and was suspicious of her, so I slipped behind the door and grabbed the man's gun when he put it on a chair. Anybody would have done exactly the same thing and I know, anyway, that you would never turn an American girl over to those horrible Chinamen."

The captain's frown disappeared. "Well, I guess that's about true," he admitted. "But why didn't you come to me in the first place; why didn't you want to come to me when you were caught; what do you expect is to be done with you?"

"I didn't come to you because the man who acted as interpreter is an enemy of mine who would do anything on earth to be rid of me—I mean Hugo Loubeque, the one who spoke with the Chinese officer when they searched the boat. They frightened me so I crept into the hold. I don't want him to know I am on board—he mustn't know." She looked up into his face with confidence.

"I can pay for my passage when we land," she added quickly.

"But I have no cabin vacant, young lady."

"Couldn't I do some work, be a cabin boy or something like that?" she suggested vaguely, as the ship's master threw back his head and gave vent to such laughter that tears rolled down his weather beaten cheeks.

"That's a good one," he roared. "By George, I believe that would straighten the whole mess out and make me the master of the first boat that has had a cabin boy since the old sailing days. Young man," he added with mock gravity, "I'll take you to my cabin now, where your enemy will have no chance of seeing you. The steward will be the only one in our secret. He can outfit you and pass his instructions regarding your duties at night."

Lucille clasped her hands delightedly, her eyes twin stars of delight at the perfect working out of her difficulties. Working at night there could be but scant chance for Loubeque's recognizing her, if he retained his secretive habits, and it was usually at nighttime that he paced the deck and left his cabin alone. No position could more adequately have given her an opportunity to search the man's cabin for the stolen documents and papers.

The thought of it fairly took away



His Tail Form Was Smothered in an Ulster.

such disregard for the ordinary amount of friendship?"

Slowly, without removing the cigar from his mouth, he moved toward her, the hateful smile still upon his lips. He seated himself and studied her carefully, speculatively.

"Lucille," he said slowly, "I saw you on the deck, saw you go into the hold, saw you when the captain came to you, have watched you all the time. Do you know what I did not give you credit for? It was because I wanted to know exactly where you were in the hold, because I wanted the full of my finger and you I have waited for his moment. You really want I to find you in the open boat. It is no quarter from now on. I shall have no mercy hereafter. I will know that you are only safe when you are dead."

He rose and motioned to the chair, an ominousness in word and gesture which compelled obedience. Fascinated, panic stricken, she obeyed, while from his pocket he drew a long loop of fine cord which he bound about her wrists and ankles, then strapped her securely in the chair. He stood off a moment, regarding his handiwork, then moved toward the door. "You see I have been prepared for the visit," he murmured. "I will just be a little while, so don't be worried—this time." The door closed behind him.

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to rely upon her women's fragility to gain the master's sympathy. She had reached this conclusion as the astonished captain looked at her wan, miserable face when he answered her knocking.

Swiftly, the words tumbling over one another in the nerve racking strain of trying to convince the man of the unbelievable things she had gone through at the spy's hands, she poured out her whole story. Slowly, under the spell of an obvious sincerity, she saw he was convinced.

CHAPTER XIV.

Lucille Finds a Friend.

HE summoned a steward and dispatched him for Loubeque, demanding an answer. Evidently the spy had been waiting some such thing, for he appeared quite promptly, his face worn and haggard. He started violently at seeing Lucille, then took both her hands in his own and patted them soothingly, his voice the cajoling one with which one soothes a child. The captain's stern countenance had fallen, and the good man looked rather foolish.

"Mr. Loubeque," he began abruptly, "this young lady has made complaints to me that you have threatened her with death. Have you anything to say?"

"Certainly, I shall be more than pleased to look after her if the poor child has escaped the surveillance of her relatives. No friend could do less," the spy answered suavely, and he touched his hand lightly to his head.

The captain nodded, and Lucille, seeing now the maddeningly unbelievable quality of the story she had told regarding her adventures, felt not rage fairly burning her up. She sprang at the captain, taking his coat in her hands and shaking him fiercely.

"I am not insane it's the truth—every word"—she sobbed, then lifting eyes in which the clear light of sanity glowed unmistakably. "Captain, I swear to you that every word is true."

The captain turned from one to the other in the very extremity of perplexity. Finally he nodded to Loubeque that he might leave, and, with a slow smile, the spy turned away.

"Young lady," the captain said, "you will resume your duties for tonight, and in the morning I will see that you are properly clothed. I will immediately send a wireless to the authorities in San Francisco and see that you are met by them at the pier. No harm can come to you from this man. You understand why I am unable to do more for you, I?"

Lucille extended her hand, grasping his firmly and meeting the troubled eyes of the man with her own—her own eyes, in which glowed gratitude and confidence and truth. And in that hand clasp the pair cemented a common union against any enemy.

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A Pretty Stowaway.

AME the chugging of the engines, the quaking of every part of the great Leviathan, lesser sounds from above, the rible creaking of the cargo as the bratons straightened it into place. Lucille was suddenly aware that they were under way; that she was here in the bowels of the boat. Terror beset her on every side. Rats impered about, their paws making dreadful scraping sound like sand-per being run over a smooth surface boarding.

But always, when her courage had fully ebbed, would come another plore. It was as though her horror popping eyeballs had forced poignantly me to her the vision of Manila; of her father, grieving himself to death her absence; of the shipwreck; her reethart, imprisoned, with every and turned against him, with the girl loved away. She must bring back papers which Loubeque carried; she must clear her lover.

Day and night—night and day—there is no difference between the two in black hole. It seemed to her that they must be near the end of their journey, judging by the torments she had been through, when a swaying light directly over her head made her turn hastily back and strive to hide behind a looming bale. The exclamation of surprised incredulity which issued in her ears told that she had been discovered. In an instinctive effort to hide she struck against a bale that had partially dislodged itself and it thundered against a second one. In a moment the hold was filled with tumbling boxes and bales, toppling, reeling, thrashing, thundering every direction. Lucille saw plainly over her face that framed popping eyes and widened lips.

Swiftly she leaped upon a box that formed the foundation for a pyramid. As though by instinct the sailor lit the lantern from his hip and reached for his hands. Lucille felt his fingers clutching at her wrists. Then, slowly, so slowly it seemed she would never succeed in getting through that p, she was lifted up, up to the deck where she lay panting and breathless, a man beside her fairly whistling in the exertion of once more breathing freely.

Slowly a smile spread over his other beaten face as he scanned the new suit in which she was arrayed. Lucille saw that she had made a friend and immediately pressed her advantage.

Nobody must know you found me," she began hurriedly, then, as started to protest, "No, no. Please go!"

Lucille saw the sailor shook his head, a troubled expression in his eyes. Lucille knew that she had lost and, instead of pleading, took the next best use that seemed open to her. Then, if you must, bring the captain to me instead of parading me before every one. I would not ask you, but I have an enemy aboard and—I can't—she closed her lips quickly as the hint of a gleam of avarice shined in the man's eyes. After a second's thought he nodded briefly and hurriedly away.

Lucille had no time for regret at her every. She had felt all along that as inevitable, but had refrained till now from figuring on what explanation she could make in such event. Her expression, the swift change on the sailor's face, as he thought her on

regarding your duties at night."

Lucille clasped her hands delightedly, her eyes twin stars of delight at the perfect working out of her difficulties. Working at night there could be but scant chance for Loubeque's recognizing her, if he retained his secretive habits, and it was usually at nighttime that he paced the deck and left his cabin alone. No position could more adequately have given her an opportunity to search the man's cabin for the stolen documents and papers.

The thought of it fairly took away her breath, was still all dominant in her mind while she listened to the steward's instructions. She saw immediately that her position aboard was little more than a jest of the ship's master, for she had little to do save a bit of dusting about the saloons, and, in the event of storms keeping the captain on the bridge for protracted stretches, fetching him hot tea. She laughed with him at her position when she showed herself before him in a natty white duck suit, which made her slender fragility more apparent and more appealing than ever.

That very evening she found the suit occupied by the international spy. Loubeque showed himself at night, not long after the middle watch, his tall form smothered in a long ulster, the upturned collar of which concealed most of his features from sight. She noticed the bulldog grip with which he held the cigar between his teeth, its glowing end revealing the dame in his deep set eyes. She knew the tension under which he labored was probably due to the disquieting news he had received at the last moment regarding her escape.

Every night at exactly the same time he came out upon the deck, and for two nights Lucille tried to bolster up her courage sufficiently to enter the stateroom, but always the sound of that ominous, steady step on the deck dissuaded her. On the fourth night she felt herself trembling with subconscious knowledge that tonight was to be the time when she made her attempt. Consciously, she was positive she could not force herself to do it, but something from within impelled her feet in the opposite direction from that taken by the spy. At the door of the stateroom she halted. Loubeque was moving toward her, silent, imperturbable, grim, a fearsome figure. Two bells sounded. Lucille watched the spy. His habits were remarkably regular in their very irregularity. For another bell he would not return to his stateroom.

She turned the knob and entered, closing the door softly. It would be a simple place to search, the furniture being scanty and Loubeque traveling without much luggage.

Swiftly she worked, turning everything upside down and carefully laying all signs of her search afterward.

Her fear of being caught had completely faded before the urge of finding the papers. From place to place, careful as any French detective, thorough and keen as though she had been a thief all her life, Lucille worked. As she went through the last of the spy's personal belongings, a little sob of disappointment and chagrin broke from the very heart of her and halted at her lips. For a hand was rattling the knob, turning it slowly, slowly.

"Ah!" murmured Loubeque sulkily, "I thought I could not be mistaken in our little steward! But why, my dear child, did you wait so long to pay a visit to such an old acquaintance? Why

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It was as though his mockery, his gibing tones, were giant hands against her chest, pushing her through the door and upon the deck.

His threat of looking after her at the end of the voyage—his mockery—she must appeal to strong hands now.

She could not imagine how, in a free country, he could do anything. Still, she knew Hugo Loubeque and the knowledge terrified her. She decided

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Ground Flat.

An old couple from the country were in town on a holiday, and on going along one of the streets they saw above one of the stair doors "James Simpson, Ground Flat," when the old woman was heard to remark: "Sic a death. Surely he's been run over wif a steam roller."—London Mail.

Making Sure.

"How shall I express my sentiments toward you?" said the infatuated young man tenderly.

"On paper, please," said the lovely, but clear sighted, girl. "Then there can be no chance of your wriggling out of it."—London Telegraph.

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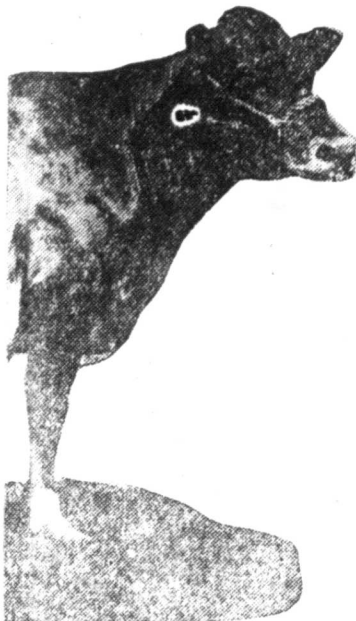
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MAKING GOOD BUTTER.

A Simple Process if Cleanliness is Strictly Observed.

Making good butter is easy if the cow owner gives his animals pure water and the best of feed. He must keep the milk clean and free from foreign odors from the time it is drawn from the udder till it is churned, writes H. A. Bereman in Kimball's Dairy Farmer. He must keep his cows clean and if they stand in stalls wash the udders, teats and flanks before milking. He



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FIX UP FOR THE WINTER.

Have the repairs on the barn and milk house that you decided must be done before snow flies again been taken care of? And then there were certain conveniences that you thought of last winter and you declared that you wouldn't go through another winter without them. Have they been put in?

Winter will be here all too soon and the fall work will soon be out of the way. If the busy summer has kept you from doing these things they should be looked after very soon. It is discouraging to have to put up with inconveniences just because we didn't get time to fix things up. Too often these things are put off because we somehow hate to start on the fixing up. With some people there seems to be an aversion to doing things out of the ordinary routine, and so the repairs and conveniences go undone. Now is the season to get busy.—Hoard's Dairyman.

GROWING DRUG PLANTS.

Inexperienced Growers More Liable to Failure Than Success.

[Prepared by United States department of agriculture.]

The cessation of the harvesting and shipping of many crude drugs because of hostilities in Europe has caused a sharp advance in their market price. As a result, many individuals and firms have written the department inquiring about the possibilities of the American farmer growing drug plants profitably. The department's specialist in charge of drug plant investigations has written a number of these correspondents that, although it is probable that a number of important drug plants could be grown profitably here if the present high prices continue, nevertheless there is a possibility of the early restoration of shipping facilities, and, in any event, the inexperienced grower of drug plants would be more liable to meet with failure than with success.

Some medicinal plants, says the department's specialist, may be grown as easily as ordinary garden crops. Others, however, require the special knowledge and skill of the practiced gardener. There are many varying factors in the commercial production of drug plants. The constituents of many of them vary in quantity according to the time of gathering and method of drying, and a knowledge of proper methods of harvesting and curing is absolutely essential for the production of drugs of high quality.

Even if the prospective grower possessed some knowledge of drug plants, beginning now, he could scarcely hope to harvest a crop before the late summer of 1915. In the case of some varieties he might even have to wait until the end of the second or third year after planting. Therefore, the farmer who began at once might not find himself with a supply of crude drugs on hand until after prices had returned to their former level.

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FALL PLOWING.

Many days of fine weather for plowing are to be looked for this fall, and the farmer who embraces the opportunity will be considerably ahead when next spring comes. It is advantageous to do all the plowing in autumn that can be managed. Aside from the benefits directly to the soil the team is in good condition for the work, and the weather is cool and exhilarating, while fall plowing enables the farmer to get his crops in in much better season in the spring. Let the plow run a little deeper in the autumn than in spring. The frosts of winter will pulverize and mix the soil, and when spring comes, by thorough working with the harrow, there will be a deep mellow seed bed for the roots to penetrate.—American Agriculturist.

WINTER STORAGE OF ONIONS.

An Economical and Efficient Way of Protection Explained.

[Prepared by E. P. Sandsten, Colorado agricultural experiment station.]

Where regular storage for onions is not obtainable or possible a cheap and efficient way is as follows:

Select a dry, somewhat elevated place, not necessarily on a ridge or a hill. On this place set a box or frame of desired dimensions for the amount of onions to be stored. The depth of the box should not be over sixteen or eighteen inches. Pieces of 2 by 4 or 4 by 4 should be placed under the box so that the box will not come in direct contact with the moist soil. The floor of the box should be reasonably tight. After the onions have been thoroughly cured and topped they should be placed in the box and the boards placed on top. The cover should be watertight. Before cold weather sets in keep the cover raised to permit ventilation.

No other protection is given to the onion, but they are permitted to freeze solidly, and when in this state the box should be covered with dry straw or cornstalks or any material that would prevent the onions from thawing out, or alternate freezing and thawing. In the spring of the year, or when ready to be sold, the covering should be removed gradually and the onions permitted to thaw out without coming into contact with the sunlight. During the winter or while in the frozen state they may be taken out and gradually thawed out in a cool room.

In the frozen state the onions will keep perfectly and when thawed out will remain solid for a considerable length of time.

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will profit by the use of a covered milking pail, into whose wire screen top is packed a wad of sterilized absorbent cotton.

All milk vessels must be sterilized with steam or boiling water and washed, or they will gather odors that will show up in the butter.

With two or more cows you should skim at least twice a week. Cream should be heavy and fresh, but ripened thoroughly so it has a pleasant sour taste. Unless a separator is used the cream should be cooled to between 40 and 45 degrees as soon as milked and set in cans or crocks where it will keep cool and where there will be no contamination from bad odors.

It may be skimmed twenty-four to forty-eight hours after setting, and if not enough is collected at one skimming, the cream should also be kept cool until ripening time. Ripening is accomplished by heating the cream to 80 degrees and adding a "starter" of sour milk or choice buttermilk. The character of this starter will govern the flavor of the butter. In twenty-four hours from starting the cream will be nicely clabbered. It should then be cooled rapidly to 56 to 62 degrees and churned at that temperature. Churning is done by placing a can of cream or milk in a tub or barrel of cold water and stirring the contents slowly four or five minutes. Ice can be used to good advantage, but plenty of pure, cold water is indispensable.

Use a barrel or box churn. Do not let the butter form into a solid mass or lump. Stop churning when the granules are the size of wheat grains or less. Draw off the buttermilk through the spigot, straining it with a horse-hair sieve. Nearly fill the churn with very cold water, turn it over three or four times slowly and draw off the water. Add more cold water and repeat until the water comes away clear.

Add an ounce of choice dairy salt to the pound of butter and work it slightly, but not enough to break the granular texture. Pack into tubs, crocks or mold into prints and keep cold until disposed of.

Carved by the Sea.

The great English channel is believed to be the product of sea erosion. Formerly the British Isles were firmly connected with the continent, but changes of level led to the formation of the southern part of the North sea, and then, as the geological writer has said, the North sea waves battered the chalky neck lying between what is now England and Europe, while simultaneously the Atlantic assailed it from the other side until the channel was "bored through," leaving the cliffs of Dover on one side and those of the French coast on the other. But on both shores the assault is still going on, and the channel is slowly widening.—New York Journal.

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For successful production of drug plants on a commercial scale there must be an available market. Its accessibility must be considered, above all things, by the successful grower. The cost of production must be carefully estimated, and to this must be added the cost of packing and shipping to this market. The packing and shipping expenses might easily make the enterprise unprofitable.

Drug plants to be profitably grown should yield returns at least equal to those from other crops which may be grown on the same land. The farmer must determine that this is the case. The fact that much handwork is necessary in the production of most drugs is liable to make the cost of labor high.

The Destructive Cutworm.

"Cutworm" is simply a convenient term applied to many different worms all of which have the habit of cutting off the stems of young plants. Some work at the surface, others slightly underground. They attack young garden plants especially, but field crops



CUTWORM ATTACKING PLANT.

suffer also. The worms come from eggs that were laid the previous fall. Weedy fields suffer most.

Deep plowing in the fall and early cultivation in the spring will control this pest very well.

Another effective way of control is to spread poisoned bran mash over the ground in the spring a few days before the plants are expected to come up. The worms will eat the poisoned mash and die.—Farm and Fireside.

Woman Soldier Twice Shot.

Esther Manuel, a Jewess and mother of two children, decided to find her husband, who was in the Prussian army fighting France. Under the name of Louis Grafamus she joined the Second Koenigsberg uh-lans. Twice wounded, she rose to the rank of a sergeant-major and was rewarded by the German field marshal with the Iron cross.

It was only discovered that the brave sergeant-major was of the female sex when she found her husband under the walls of Paris, just killed by French bullets.

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Dodder and Alfalfa.

In western states and in some European countries dodder is the worst weed found in alfalfa fields, says a bulletin of the University of Minnesota department of agriculture. Dodder is an annual plant which is parasitic in its habit of growth. The plant starts from the seed and develops into



DODDER ON ALFALFA.

a long, threadlike branch, which soon winds itself round and round the alfalfa plant, sending parasitic roots or suckers into the plant. The dodder plant then lives on the nourishment which should go to the alfalfa.

There are two varieties of dodder common in alfalfa fields. The small seeded alfalfa dodder is not as difficult to deal with as the large seeded variety, as the seed is easily separated from alfalfa. The seed of the large seeded alfalfa dodder is about as large as alfalfa seed, and it is almost impossible to separate it from alfalfa seed.

Simple Glue For Home Use.

An excellent glue that is harmless, colorless and odorless is made of tapioca. Cover the desired quantity with cold water, put it over the fire and stir, adding more water as it boils to make a good paste. It can be used to glue wood, leather or paper. For scrap books or photographs it may be necessary to add a little water.

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Eradicating "Beauty Spots."

"Beauty spots" are the names given to the disfiguring little blemishes which seem to play havoc with complexions at this season of the year.

Let it be clearly understood, pimples are not caused by freckles, damp, dry, hot or, in fact, any kind of weather, but make their appearance in direct connection with unsatisfactory condition of the bowels or digestion or the general health.

You may lessen the inflamed appearance of a "beauty spot" by the application of a lotion, but you can remove it and the cause as well the probability of a further appearance of the eruptions by getting blood into a healthy state. What then, is the treatment? Eat fruit every meal and plenty of it. Drink copious draughts of cold water, filtered and filtered. Take a constitution and a brisk rubdown before breakfast every morning.

The Business Woman's Looks.

Under the stress and strain of business or professional life a man's beauty soon fades. While interest in her work may keep her alert, the sedentary life, the confinement in office or shop, the lack of exercise, all conspire to chase the red from her cheeks, the brightness from her eye and elasticity from her movements. The appearance of youth and health is a desirable quality. It is first requisite in business. The woman who looks well, who demands respect by her personality, has the battle won. We are inclined to listen to what she says with interest and accept what she has to offer with confidence. Indeed, any woman who does not guard her appearance will fail to make a success of business.

Lotion For Enlarged Pores.

Before bathing the face in warm water with a face brush rinse thoroughly in tepid water to remove all traces of the soap, then in cold water, lastly applying the following astringent with a bit of absorbent cotton: Boric acid, one dram; alcohol, one ounce rosewater, two ounces. This will cleanse and close the pores eventually but you must be patient and persevering in order to effect the desired result.

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Boudoir Costume Whose
Lines Suggest the Orient.



TURKISH BOUDOIR DRESS.

The boudoir costume shown here is
one of the most comfortable of the
daring new models. The extremely
comfortable skirt suggests trousers. It
is worn with a little Turkish jacket.
The costume is of white ratine and
crepe de chine over peachblow silk.
The collar of white satin is decorated
with appliqued roses in pink.

Cubist gown is the name given to a
new negligee that is a sort of glorified
kimono. It is in white crepe de chine,
with a wide band of antique lace in-
sertion at the hem and tassels from the
points of the drapery. Fascinating
caps to match come with the gown.

FUR TRIMMED SUITS.

Some Sort of Pelt Adorns Most Fashionable Street Costumes.

Evening, afternoon and street
costumes, coats for motoring and outing,
evening wraps and hats—all are rich
with some sort of animal skin—kolinsky,
a deep lustrous brown; sables, the
beaver, lately resuscitated to great
popularity; seal, skunk and monkey
fur, which has failed to be called by
its French name despite numerous en-
deavors to soften the appalling candor
of the name.

One finds the four outlining net over-
skirts in thin bands. It is seen in
four inch wide strips about suit skirts
and the bottom of coats.

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variably furred in wraps and suits,
and the fur on hats is thought out
carefully. It must match that used on
the rest of the apparel, thus giving a
definite harmony to suit, fur set proper,
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ploited This Season.

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rate skirts. One of them is illustrat-
ed here. It is of white organdie, plain

Milady's Mirror

How to Look Young.

"The body ordinarily looks as old as
the mind thinks and feels," says Ralph
Waldo Trine in the Woman's Home
Companion.

"Shakespeare anticipated by many
years the psychology of the times when
he said, 'It is the mind that makes the
body rich.' An eminent modern writ-
er has given utterance to the same
truth more fully and more helpfully,
perhaps, in the following: 'The prevail-
ing state of mind or character of
thought shapes the body and features.
It makes us ugly or pleasing, attrac-
tive or repulsive, to others. Our
thought shapes our gestures, our man-
nerism, our walk.'

"The least movement of muscle has
a mood of mind, a thought behind it.
A mind always determined has always
a determined walk. A mind always
weak, shifting, vacillating and uncer-
tain makes a shuffling, shambling, un-
certain gait. The spirit of determina-
tion braces every muscle. It is the
thought element of determination fill-
ing every muscle. . . . If you send
from you in thought the elements of
worry, fret, hatred or grief you are
putting in action forces injurious to
your mind and body. . . . Look at the
discontented, gloomy, melancholy and
ill tempered men or women and you
will see on their faces proofs of the
action of the silent force of their un-
pleasant thought cutting, carving and
shaping them into their present ex-
pression. Such people are never in
good health, for the force acts on them
as a poison and creates some form of
disease."

Abe Martin's Wise Sayings.

In the American Magazine Abe Mar-
tin says:

"There's no congestion o' traffic on
Easy street."

"A firm chin is helpless without a
stiff upper lip."

"A loafer must feel funny when a
holiday comes along."

"Tell Binkley found \$2 in a ole vest
yesterday an' he can't think who he
owes 'em to."

"It's nice t' live in a little town
where you don't have t' give somebod-
dy a dime t' hold your overcoat."

"What's become o' th' ole fashioned
girl that used t' say, 'Lips that touch
wine shall never touch mine?'"

WORLD'S GREATEST KIDNEY REMEDY

"Fruit-a-tives" Have Proved
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Only Remedy That Acts On All Three
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Many people do not realize that the
Skin is one of the three great elimina-
tors of waste matter from the body.
As a matter of fact, the Skin rids the
system of more Urea (or waste matter)
than the Kidneys. When there is
Kidney Trouble, Pain In The Back and
Acid Urine, it may not be the fault of
the kidneys at all, but be due to faulty
Skin Action, or Constipation of the
bowels.

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aching Kidneys, not only because it
strengthens these organs but also be-
cause "Fruit-a-tives" opens the bowels,
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the action of the skin.

"Fruit-a-tives" is sold by all dealers
at 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size,
25c. or will be sent postpaid on receipt
of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited,
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Brigands' Coffee.

A traveler in the wilder parts of
Europe where brigands still flourish
once told me that the best coffee he
had ever tasted was made after a
recipe supplied by one of these gen-
try. The coffee berries are wrapped
up in a maize leaf and placed in hot
ashes to roast. While hot the ber-
ries are bruised with stones and put
into a pot of fast boiling water,
which is held over the fire five min-
utes. The fragrant beverage is now
poured into a pitcher, at the bottom
of which a lump of honey has been
placed, and is drunk forthwith. It
is delicious. The quantity of berries
put into the pot is regulated accord-
ing to the strength of the coffee re-
quired.

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at fatigue, nervousness, or, on the other hand, languid, sluggish bodily activities, whether from a too lazy life or weakness, then the circulation is not all that it should be. We see then pallor or a pasty look, or displeasing and positive sallowness or a settled bluish look which speaks of actual ill health. None of these things can by any means give the cheeks the becoming hue of rosy pinkness.

Each woman is a law unto herself, and general directions cannot be laid down for all. The weak, pale and nervous woman sometimes thinks she cannot stand" the daily cool shower, the brisk walk, which shall put her into a glow. Sometimes she really cannot stand it," yet sometimes that very weakness must be faced and overcome. At first such methods may seem to leave her more weak and almost trembling, but if she will persist he will note that these unpleasant symptoms are disappearing and that her strength as well as her color is improving every day. Such a woman has become weak and pale just because she has succumbed to the thought that that was her part and lot in life. But, existing it, she rises into better health and more vigorous energy day by day.

Eradicating "Beauty Spots."

"Beauty spots" are the names given to the disfiguring little blemishes which seem to play havoc with complexions at this season of the year.

Let it be clearly understood that pimples are not caused by frosty, damp, dry, hot or, in fact, any other kind of weather, but make their appearance in direct connection with an unsatisfactory condition of the blood—digestion or the general health.

You may lessen the inflamed appearance of a "beauty spot" by the application of a lotion, but you can only move it and the cause as well as the probability of a further appearance of the eruptions by getting the blood into a healthy state. What, then, is the treatment? Eat fruit at every meal and plenty of it. Drink copious draughts of cold water, fresh and filtered. Take a constitutional and a brisk rubdown before breakfast every morning.

The Business Woman's Looks.

Under the stress and strain of a business or professional life a woman's beauty soon fades. While interest in her work may keep her mind alert, the sedentary life, the confinement in office or shop, the lack of exercise, all conspire to chase the roses from her cheeks, the brightness from her eye and elasticity from her movements. The appearance of youth and alth is a desirable quality. It is of the first requisite in business. The woman who looks well, who demands respect for her personality, has the battle half won. We are inclined to listen to what she says with interest and to accept what she has to offer with confidence. Indeed, any woman who does not guard her appearance will fail to make a success of business.

Lotion For Enlarged Pores.

Before bathing the face in warm water with a face brush rinse thoroughly tepid water to remove all traces of soap, then in cold water, lastly applying the following astringent wash with a bit of absorbent cotton: Boracic acid, one dram; alcohol, one ounce; seawater, two ounces. This will cleanse and close the pores eventually, but you must be patient and persevere; in order to effect the desired result.

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ORGANDIE BASQUE.

waist line. The flaring collar of plaited organdie is finished with a band of moire ribbon.

Skirts seem to grow shorter. Many of the new tailored frocks reveal the buttoned boot above the ankle, and dancing skirts are even shorter.

The buttoned street boot now has a light welted sole and a curved heel, but this heel is broad enough at the base for comfortable walking.

Dancing boots are exceedingly dainty, with thin turned soles and high curved heels. Both street and dancing boots show the top of contrasting material.

Young Girls' Party Frocks.

Young girls always look nice in simple lingerie frocks with sashes of any desired color, with bows on the hair to match the sash. A fine grade of canvas slipper may be worn or white kid without gloves. If it is inconvenient a girl need not wear gloves, and may choose either silk or kid. A fan is nice to carry and may be worn on a string of pearl beads or on a ribbon. She does not need to carry flowers, but a pink rosebud pinned on would be pretty.

Toasted Crabs.

For this dish prepare the crab meat the same as for stuffed crabs, lay it on oval pieces of toasted bread and cover with a layer of white sauce flavored with grated cheese and highly seasoned. Put a few drops of melted butter over the top of each, then place them on a buttered baking sheet and bake in a sharp oven for a few minutes. Dish up and serve hot.

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Men's 7 inch, First Quality Leather Top Rubbers with Red-Rubber Soles.....	Sale Price	\$2.25
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Do you use a mantle lamp? You can get all the supplies, chimneys, wicks, mantles and etc., and the Palatine highest grade coal oil at Hooper's—Napanee's Largest Drug Store.

Farmers! Show a pen in the Farmers Class at the Napanee Poultry Show. Ten dollar Silver Cup for best pen of utility birds.

A meeting of the U.E.L. Chapter of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, will be held in the Board Room of the Public Library, on Monday afternoon, January 11th, at 4 p.m. A large attendance is requested.

An advanced course in Agriculture will be held in the old Collegiate building, Kingston, starting January 11th, and concluding March 5th. Special lectures illustrated with lantern slides will be a feature of the course.

A. S. Kimmerly will sell Redpath's best granulated sugar \$7.00 per 100. Five roses flour \$3.35; Harvest Queen flour \$3.20; 4 cars bran and shorts to hand. Special prices in car lot: royal yeast and cow brand soda 4c; 6 bars Comfort, Surprise or Sunlight soap 25c; good tea 15c; 4 doz. clothes pins 5c; I will continue paying 25c cash for fresh eggs; Burdock Blood Bitters 75c bottle.

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11.45—Sunday School and Bible Classes.

7 p.m.—Evening service: "The great work of the Church." Monday evening Young People's meeting.

Wednesday, 7.45 p.m., the regular prayer and praise service.

Tuesday Brown Betty Social under auspices of Mission Circle.

Sunday, Jan. 17th, Rev. H. E. Stillwell will speak in Grace Church morning and evening. Mr. Stillwell has spent 29 years as a missionary in India and comes recommended as a very interesting and popular speaker.

East End Barber Shop.

Everything neat; first class workmen; cigars and tobacco. Give me a call.

J. N. OSBORNE.

Hogs Wanted.

Will ship hogs Tuesday, Jan. 12th, 1915. Highest market price paid for hogs weighing from 150 to 240.

HAMBLY & VANLUVEN.

Come Along

With the crowd and buy your coal at VanLuyven's where the most people buy it. We give old customers the best of service and we will do the same with new ones.

A BROWN BETTY BEAN SOCIAL

Will be held in the lecture room of Grace Methodist Church, under the auspices of the Mission Circle, on Tuesday, Jan. 12th. Good program. Admission 15c. 5-a

RECEPTION TO THE NEW VICAR.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 12th, the congregation of St. Mary Magdalene Church will hold a reception for the newly appointed vicar, Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, and his family in the school room. A first class programme has been prepared and refreshments will be served. Silver collection. 5-a

CURLING.

The Executive of the Napanee Curling Club desire to extend to the ladies of Napanee a cordial invitation to form a Curling Club. The Napanee Curling Club is prepared to throw open the rinks for the use of the ladies in the afternoons, and to place at their disposal the Curling Stones belonging to the Club. Other towns and cities have their Ladies' Curling Clubs and Napanee should be able to form a club that would compare favorably with any in Ontario.

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Colebrook—2.30 p.m.

Yarker—7 p.m.

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NAPANEE POULTRY SHOW.

Napanee has one of the oldest and best Poultry Shows in Ontario. Its success has aroused the jealousy of neighboring towns and cities. Belleville started a little Poultry Show two years ago and had fair success. Last January their second show was almost a failure. The Belleville breeders hogged all the specials and when visiting breeders won prizes spited their ill feelings on the birds. One Napanee breeder did not get his bird back until two days after the show closed and another breeder got back his birds with frozen combs.

This year Belleville tried to kill the Napanee Show by taking the same dates as the Napanee Poultry Show. They did this after the Napanee boys had advertised their dates. Prospects for the Napanee Poultry Show were never better, and entries have been received from all over Eastern Ontario, including Belleville. From private reports received the Belleville Poultry Show this year will be a flat failure. Few outside exhibitors have entered and the show will consist of about two hundred local birds from Belleville. So far from hurting the Napanee Poultry Show, the efforts of the Belleville "sore-heads" have boosted it, and we will have the largest entry in our history.

Kingston has had to hold only a ribbon show this year as they could not get support in Kingston and the Gananoque Poultry Show has "bust up" so Napanee will this year be the most important show in Eastern Ontario. The success of the Napanee Poultry Show has been due to the good work of the officers and the generous support given by the residents of Napanee and surrounding country.

Don't fail to visit the Napanee Poultry Show Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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The company will recommend to the council the appointment of Fred J. Vanalstine, as Chief Engineer, and C. W. Conway as Assist. Engineer.

LARGE POULTRY ENTRY.

Mrs. A. Lapointe, of the Brockville district, has entered 149 birds at the Napanee Poultry Show. Her birds have won at Ottawa, Smiths Falls, Carleton Place, Brockville, and other large shows indicating the high quality of her stock. This is the largest entry ever received from one breeder and indicates the success of the Napanee show in drawing large entries breeds the majority of her winners, and never shows a borrowed bird. She is probably the most successful lady poultry raiser in Eastern Ontario. See her exhibit at the Napanee Poultry Show.

MUSIC.

If you are thinking of buying a piano, organ, talking machine, or sewing machine, see us. We have different makes of pianos. You can see the different styles and hear the different tones. If you can't come to see us drop us a card, and we will send an auto for you (if roads will permit) and bring you to town to see our goods. We have the finest talking machines on earth. See the new one with automatic stop, and we have beautiful cabinets for records, also records. Vanluven Bros., show rooms first corner north of Brisco Hotel, Napanee, also Moscow. P.S.—A large farm (630 acres) for sale. 12-1f

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POST-NUPITAL RECEPTION.

Mrs. Chester B. McDougall (nee Otta Sills) held her post-nuptial reception Wednesday afternoon, December 30th, at her pretty new home on Margaret avenue. The day was an ideal winter one and many friends called to welcome the bride to Wallaceburg. Mrs. McDougall wore her wedding gown of white satin, her mother, Mrs. Merle Sills, of Napanee, and Miss Eva K. Steinhoff, both in black satin, received with her. Mrs. Hugh Stonehouse in pink satin with brocade tunic, and large black picture hat showed the guests into the dining-room. Mrs. Chester McGregor, wearing a burnt orange satin with black lace overdress and black velvet picture hat with orange plumes poured the tea, and Mrs. J. H. Smith, of Chatham, gowned in black satin with persian trimming cut the ice. Other assistants in the dining-room were Miss Edith Tackaberry, of Chatham, Miss Ethel Mickle, Miss Pearl Kline, of Moose Jaw, Sask., and Miss Fay McDougall. The color scheme throughout the house was pink and white and the many beautiful flowers and ferns made a cheerful summery contrast to the frost and snow out of doors.—Wallaceburg Herald-Record.

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Napanee Poultry Show

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11.45—Sunday School and Bible
Class.

7 p. m.—Rev. Arthur Coltery will
preach.

Young People's Association Monday
evening at 8 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening
at 7.45.

PERSONALS

Mr. Harry Preston is home from
Kerrobert, Sask.

Hear Rev. Arthur Coltery on Sun-
day in Trinity Church.

Rev. S. Sellery will preach Mission-
ary sermons on Sunday next on the
Yarker Circuit. Rev. Arthur Coltery,
of Belleville, will supply Trinity pul-
pit.

Rev. Prof. Dall, of Kingston, will
preach both morning and evening in
St. Andrew's Church.

Miss Ivy Price, New York, is visit-
ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G.
Price, Hinch.

Miss Mona McClure who has been
the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. S.
Ham, returned to Toronto yesterday.

Mr. Wm. Ellison, Buffalo, spent
New Years with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. John Ellison.

Miss Ida Garbutt, of Kingston,
spent a few hours on New Year's
day with Mrs. G. W. Shibley.

Mr. G. W. McKim, of Peterboro,
spent New Year's day with his
mother, Mrs. D. W. McKim, Isabella
street. His son, W. W., who is now
with the second contingent in King-
ston, accompanied him.

Mr. H. E. Collins, Hamilton, was
in town a few days last week renew-
ing acquaintances.

Miss Grace Hart, of Toronto, spent
New Year's day the guest of Mrs. W.
H. Meagher.

Geo. H. Meagher spent New Year's
day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
W. H. Meagher.

The remains of the late Mr. J. C.
Dewery were interred at Powman-
ville on Wednesday.

Mr. Geo. Hanes is home from the
West.

Mrs. A. E. Lang returned to Tor-
onto on Monday after spending New
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Warner.

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Miss Nellie Herring and Mrs.
Ward attended the Canoe Club Ball
in Gananoque New Year's night.

We are sorry to hear of Mrs. J. B.
Allison's mishap. She is laid up by
stepping on a rusty nail.

Miss Kathleen Greer is visiting
friends in Belleville.

Rev. Omand, of London, is visiting
friends in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ketcheson and
baby spent Xmas with his grand-
father, M. T. Vanslyck.

Mrs. Walton B. Cronk returned to
her home in Guelph on Thursday,
after spending a month with Mr. and
Mrs. W. H. Meagher.

Mr. Chas. V. and Mrs. Meagher and
baby Margaret, of Belleville, spent
New Year's day in town with Mr.
and Mrs. W. H. Meagher.

The first prize for the best Xmas
story written by the lady students of
Albert College, Belleville, was award-
ed to Miss Gertrude E. Metzler, who
leaves to-day to resume her studies
there.

BIRTHS.

PYBUS—At Napanee, on Friday,
January 1st, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs.
Thos. Pybus, a daughter.

DEATHS.

HAGGERTY—At Stratheona, on
Tuesday, Jan. 5th, 1915, Robert
Haggerty, of Yarker, aged 47 years.

BELL ROCK.

Business is quite brisk here since
the roads are broken.

Some of the farmers are hauling
wood to the adjacent villages and
some are drawing hay.

Miss E. Cassidy, Kingston, has tak-
en charge of the public school here
for the current year.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Benn, Toronto,
visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Amey, Selby,
spent Saturday and Sunday with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Amey.

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CHOCOLATES

We have just received to-
day a large shipment of

Of medicines and toilet preparations among the latest and most reliable remedies that have been offered to the Canadian people. Sole agency at the Medical Hall—Napanee's Largest Drug Store.

MARKETING OF POULTRY.

In a recent issue of the Express Mr. B. Curran, of the Agricultural Society, Napanee, discussed a co-operative plan for the marketing of turkeys, chickens etc. Many poultry raisers have promised to support such a movement and preliminary steps have been taken to form an association. Mr. J. C. Stuart, of the West Stock Branch, Ottawa, will be present at the poultry meeting to be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, Jan. 14th, to discuss this matter and give suggestions and help. Every poultry raiser who believes they did not get a fair price for their poultry on Turkey Day are requested to be present. Women especially invited.

G. B. Curran, Sec'y,
Napanee Poultry Show.

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See the expert kill and pluck a chicken in one minute. Napanee Poultry Show on Thursday and Friday.

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Mrs. Dusty, of the Campbell House, returned home on Monday from spending the holidays with friends in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson (nee Minnie Grange) arrived Monday last from Saskatchewan, and will spend a month the guests of her father, Mr. John T. Grange, and other friends.

Mrs. D. W. Roblin and family, Dorland, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Roblin and her brother, Mr. Overton Roblin, Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parrott and family, Belleville, spent New Year's with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Parrott.

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CHOCOLATES We have just received today a large shipment of candy from Patterson's, Toronto. Everyone is aware of the high quality of the candy made by this firm, and no gift to a young lady would be more acceptable than one of these packages.

Usual Saturday Bargains

Ultrano Shaving Lotions.....	Reg. 25c	for	20c
Paine's Celery Compound.....	Reg. 1.00	for	79c
Sageine Hair Tonic.....	Reg. 50c	for	39c
Morse's Indian Root Pills.....	Reg. 25c	for	18c
Leader Cigars.....	Reg. 5c straight,		7 for 25c

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Regular \$12.50, on sale.....	\$8.48
" 15.00 "	9.98
" 18.00 "	11.79
" 18.00 "	12.98
" 20.00 "	14.89

Big Bargain Offer--Women's Suits--regular up to \$20.00, clearing Saturday \$9.98 each.

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The very best bargains we believe it possible to give in Coats that could be called warm, stylish and serviceable. Some Ulster Style with storm collars, some are Fancy Effects with wide belt. Your color and style are here. Come Saturday for first choice.

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